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Port Almanac—June 11.

Sun Rises	4.41 A M
Sun Sets	7.16 P M
Day's Length	14 h 35 m
High Water at Southport	10.35 A M
High Water at Wilmington	12.23 P M

The Weather.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N C., June 11.

Meteorological data for yesterday:

Temperature: 8 a. m., 67°; 8 p. m., 66°; maximum, 78°; minimum, 65°;

Rainfall for the day, .51; rainfall for the month up to date 1.00 inches.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

For North Carolina: Showers in eastern, fair in western portion, warmer, easterly winds.

For South Carolina: Fair, easterly winds

Cotton Region Bulletin.

There was abundant rain yesterday in the Wilmington district of the cotton belt, and in Louisiana, Texas, Arkansas and South Carolina. The maximum temperature ranged from 80 to 94 degrees. In Wilmington the maximum was 78; Charlotte, 80; Cheraw, 82; Florence, 82; Greensboro, 80; Wadesboro 78; Lumberton, 82; Newbern, 78; Raleigh, 80; Weldon, 78.

OUTLINES.

Washington news—The advisability of sending a war-ship to prevent filibustering expeditions on Cuba; President Cleveland; Treasury receipts and expenditures; naval orders; favorable report on the Nicaragua Canal project. — Another filibustering expedition sent out from Florida to Cuba. — Chicago grain and provision market. — Excessively hot weather in St. Louis. — The cotton crop—Report of the Department of Agriculture. — Anarchist Debs and his lieutenants sent to jail. — Cotton spots and futures. — Late foreign news—Severe earthquake shocks in Trieste; many lives lost in a mine explosion; a cloudburst in Austria, great destruction of property and loss of lives — Lynchings in Florida—Several negro brutes swing up. — Another spell of hot weather coming; 102 in the shade on Illinois, — A mysterious robbery in Lovell, Me. — The Memphis Silver Convention—Marian Butler to head the North Carolina delegation. — Base ball games yesterday. — A Florida bank president arrested for swindling depositors. — N. Y. markets: Money on call easy at 1@1½ per cent., last loan at 1 per cent., and closing offered at 1 per cent; cotton steady; middling gulf 7¼c; middling uplands 7¼c; Southern flour was quiet and firm; common to fair extra $2.65@3.40; good to choice do $3.50@4.25; wheat dull, with options lower; No. 2 red in store and elevator 82c; afloat 83½@83½c; corn moderately active and easier; No. 2 at elevator 56⅝@56⅞c; afloat 57⅝@57⅞c; spirits turpentine quiet and steady at 29@29½c; rosin dull and easy; common to good strained $1.52½@1.57½.

Chairman Carter of the Republican National Committee, who is a free silver man, is booming Senator Cameron, of Pennsylvania, for the nomination for the Presidency.

The United States Cordage Company is busted and gone into the hands of a receiver. Tied up or tangled up in its own rope as it were.

Ex-Governor Lewelling, of Kansas, says the men who sells eggs and butter experiences more solid comfort than the man who undertakes to run a State. When thus discoursing, visions of Mary Elizabeth Lease doubtless flitted before the ex-Gubernatorial remarker. The man who is built for an egg seller, as Lewelling was, should never aspire to run a State.

Some of the Northern railways are equipped with an electrical apparatus which is attached to the locomotive and kills the weeds which spring along the tracks. It strikes them with lightning as it were. Now if some fellow will get up some sort of a machine to go out and smite the weeds in the corn field and cotton patch the rural brother might lay back in the shade and get some solid comfort out of life.

A citizen of Vienna, who died recently at the age of 70 years, had been a smoker from 17 and kept a record of his achievements in tobacco burning. In that time he smoked 328,713 cigars, 43,639 of which were bought by other folks. What he bought himself cost $12,500. By his silence he leaves us in perplexing doubt as to whether he gave any away. He makes no mention of cigarettes, but as he lived to the age of 70 years the presumption is that he steered clear of them.

Wm. Tussick, of West Chester, Pa., is a citizen who is lightning proof. About twenty years ago lightning took a whack at him, and repeated it a few nights ago when it struck his house, ran down the wall, and knocked him out of bed. He thinks the lightning has a spite at him.

Miss Mary Irene Hoyt, of New York, has sued Mrs. Hetty Green for $100,000 damages for gently intimating that the "buzzard" lawyers had made her a lunatic. The buzzards haven't got after Mrs. Hetty yet, but they will doubtless go for her on the trial if not before.

The Stanford, Connecticut, milkman who sold infected milk which resulted in an epidemic of typhoid fever, from which about twenty people died, has been indicted for manslaughter. The grand jury think some justice ought to be pumped into him.

"Drink ice water" was the recipe for keeping cool, which a Chicago doctor gave those who wanted that problem solved. It is not yet known whether that doctor was a silent partner in an ice manufactory or in an undertaker's establishment.

Some of the members of the Philadelphia bar think it would add to the dignity of the Court if the Judges wore gowns. It might also add to the dignity of the Court if the lawyers wore gowns, or bloomers, or something of that sort.

The Hawaiian islands are original in many respects. Nearly all of their birds and fresh water fishes are of original stock found nowhere else. It is the only "Republic" on the earth, too, run by "the Sons of the Missionaries."

It is said that Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt will succeed Susan B. Anthony as President of the National American Suffrage Association. If there is any clawing to be done in that body Mrs. Catt will probably hold her own.

The editor of the Elizabeth City *Carolinian* believes in "minority representation." For a Republican editor this is consistent. The Republican party was always a minority party.

Rev. Mr. Hayden, of Kokomo, Ind., has tied the nuptial knot for 1,240 couples in his time, and congratulates himself on tying them so tight that very few got loose.

Mrs. Ella Wheeler Wilcox is fond of the muses, which she cultivates. She also owns a cat for which she paid $400, which is some on the mews, too.

The Philadelphia *Record* has discovered thirteen disease-breeding spots in that city. Thirteen is a bad number. They should be cut down at once.

The pencil users have whittled away nearly all the wood in Europe suitable for making lead peacils. We have whittled away several cords ourself.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

MASONIC—Meeting St. John's Lodge.

W. B. COOPER—Molasses and syrup.

NEW BUSINESS LOCALS.

F. E. VAIL—Manufacturing concern.

LOCAL DOTS.

Items of Interest Gathered Here and There and Briefly Noted.

— Local forecast: Slightly warmer Tuesday; northeasterly winds, probably shifting to westerly.

— Ellis Fulcher, a lad employed by Mr. J. Naumburg, accidentally fell and broke his right forearm yesterday.

— Rev. J. T. Jenkins has received and accepted a call to take charge of the Baptist Church at Morehead, N. C.

— The British steamer *Boyne* arrived yesterday, consigned to Messrs. Alex. Sprunt & Son. She will load cotton at the Champion Compress for Europe.

— The revival at the Central Baptist Church will be continued Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights of this week. There will be preaching each night. Everybody welcome.

— The Ladies' Foreign Missionary Society and Ladies' Aid Society of the First Presbyterian Church will hold a joint meeting this afternoon at 5 o'clock, in the church parlors. A full attendance is requested as there is important business to transact.

Special Excursions to Chimney Rock, N. C.

The Seaboard Air Line will run special excursions to Chimney Rock, N. C., during the Summer on the following dates. June 18th and 25th; July 9th and 23d; August 6th and 20th and September 3d. Tickets limited to ten days from date of sale. Rate for the round trip will be one first-class fare to Rutherfordton plus $3.00 for stage lines between Rutherfordton and Chimney Rock.

Summer excursions will also be run to Blowing Rock, N. C., tickets limited to ten days from date of sale. Rate for the round trip $15.25.

Encyclopædia Britannica.

The STAR Britannica Department is still filling orders for the Encyclopædia Britannica. This is the latest and best edition of this great work. Issued in 25 volumes, bound in cloth or sheep. For full particulars read announcement on third page, or inquire at the STAR office

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Pertinent Paragraphs Pertaining Principally to People and Pointedly Printed.

— Mr. F. M. Trevett is in the city visiting relatives.

— Mr. W. P. Gore, of Shallote, was in the city yesterday.

— Mrs. Sam'l D. Newton, of Southport, was in the city yesterday.

— Messrs. H. L. Fry and J. W. Fry, of Greensboro, are in the city.

— Mr. J. L. Pickett, of Chinquepin, was a visitor at the STAR office yesterday.

— Mr. J. E. Graves, stenographer for the Parmele & Eccleson Lumber Co., was in the city yesterday.

— Mr. Blair P. Wilson left yesterday for Richmond, Va. For some months past he has been clerk at the Orton.

— Mr. T. W. Cobb, Greensboro; Mrs. M. B. Cobb, Blackville; Miss Lillie Durham, Charlotte, and Miss Ida Black, Point Caswell, were visitors in the city yesterday.

— Messrs. H. T. Gregory, Greensboro; M. L. Morgan, Laurel Hill, W. E. Gaggin, Newbern; Thos. J. Jones, F. B. Lewis, J. S. Hartsell, Clinton; J. W. Woodside, Supply; Henry Farrior, Clinton; Chas. G. Bochman, Charleston; M. H. Bass, Charlotte, were among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

NEW YORK TRUCK MARKETS

Full and Reliable Reports of Markets For Southern Fruits and Vegetables.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, June 10.—Huckleberries plentiful and quiet. Blackberries scarce. Cherries in light receipt, choice inquired for. Peaches in better supply, inquiry light and prices lower. Watermelons moderately active, receipts about three carloads. Potatoes in heavy receipt and lower. Other vegetables arrived moderately. Cabbages firm and active. Beans quiet unless prime. Cukes freely offered for most qualities. Cherries—North Carolina per pound 2c. to 10. Blackberries—North Carolina, per quart, 2c. to 10, Gooseberries— prime, per quart 6c. to 7. Watermelons—Florida, per hundred $40. to 45. Huckleberries—North Carolina, per quart 3c. to 6. Peaches —Georgia, carrier $3.00 to $4.00; ditto Florida ditto $3.00 to $3.50. Plums—beach, Georgia carrier, $1.00 to $1.50. Strawberries—Maryland and Delaware per quart 3 to 7 cents. Beets, barrel crate, 50 cents to $1.00. Cukes—Charleston, per basket 60 cents to $1.00; ditto Savannah crate 50 to 75 cents. Cabbages—Norfolk barrel crate 90 cents to $1.50. Peas—Easternshore basket 50 to 80 cents; ditto Maryland ditto 50 to 90 cents; ditto Norfolk ditto 30 to 60 cents. Potatoes—Southern rose $3.00 to $3.50; ditto Chili red $3.00 to $3.25; ditto white $3.00 to $3.25; ditto poor to fair $1.50 to $2.00; ditto seconds 75 cents to $1.25. String Beans—Charleston, wax, basket 75 cents to $1.25; ditto green 75 cents to $1.00; ditto North Carolina wax ditto 75 cents to $1.50; ditto green ditto $1.00 to $1.50; ditto Norfolk wax $1.50 to $2.50; ditto green $1.50 to $2.25. Squash—Florida marrow crate, $1.00 to $1.50. Tomatoes—Florida choice carrier $1.50 to $1.75; ditto common ditto $1.00 to $1.25.

Protection from Lightning.

The STAR is indebted to Mr. Graham, of the United States Weather Bureau, for a copy of "Protection from Lightning," a pamphlet issued by the United States Department of Agriculture for general distribution, giving the best methods of protecting life and property from lightning, and directions for procedure in cases of apparent death from lightning stroke. A collection of practical rules for guidance in selecting and maintaining conductors, and a notable instance in the case of the Washington Monument of the successful use of protectors, are also given.

Copies of this valuable publication can be had upon application to Mr. Graham, Chief of the Weather Bureau Station in Wilmington.

Methodist Conference.

The Wilmington District Sunday School Conference meets in Market St. Church this week. Rev. W. L. Cunningin, of Fifth street Church, will preach the opening sermon on Wednesday evening beginning at 8 o'clock. Thursday morning at 9 o'clock the conference will convene with W. G. Burkhead, of Whiteville, N. C., as president. Delegates will arrive Wednesday and be shown to the homes assigned them by the Committee on Entertainment. A good time is expected.

City Court.

Andrew Russ, colored, charged with disorderly conduct, was fined $10.00, with the alternative of working on the streets twenty days.

Henry Waddell, colored, drunk and down, was fined $5.00 or ten days on the streets.

George Silvey, disorderly, fined $20.00 or twenty days work on the streets.

Toney Swain, disorderly, $20.00 fine or thirty days work on the streets.

The S. A. L. Boycott.

Official notice was received here yesterday of the raising of the boycott which was declared against the Seaboard Air Line by the Southern Railway and Steamship Association. This puts the Seaboard Air Line in the same position they were before the boycott, except that it is understood that it has not gone back into the Association as a member of it.

Save Your Eyes.

The care, skill and experience necessary in fitting proper glasses to the eyes is apparent to every intelligent person. Thousands of people suffer pains in the head, headache and loss of eyesight entirely from the use of inferior glasses or glasses not properly fitted to the eye. We cordially invite the public to call to see us, have their eyes examined professionally by an expert without charge, and obtain glasses if required.

Dr. M. Schwab is here on a professional trip and will remain at The Orton for a few days. This is the tenth season in Wilmington, and he has corrected hundreds of impaired eyesight. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m., and from 3 p. m. to 6 p. m.

N. B.—References can be seen at his office from some of the best citizens of Wilmington. †

NAVAL RESERVES.

Lieut. Morrison Retires from the Command of the Company, Much to the Regret of the Members.

The Naval Reserves held a meeting last night at their armory. After routine business was transacted the resignation of Lieut. J. C. Morrison was read.

In tendering his resignation Lieut. Morrison said that during his nineteen years service in the State Guard no company had ever made the record the Reserves had in the past six months, every member being accounted for at every inspection. The company was his pride, the apple of his eye, and composed of those whom he held in highest esteem. He was replied to by Mr. Robt. H. McKoy in a ringing speech in behalf of the old members of the company.

A petition signed by every member of the company, with the Battalion officers, was read and carried unanimously asking him to hold over.

After the reading of the petition, Lieut. Morrison stated that on account of business he could not remain as the commander, and paid a tribute to the company which was loudly encored, and at the conclusion of which he presented an oil painting of the monitor *Nantucket*, by Mr. R. Linder.

A motion was adopted requesting the secretary to write Mr. Wm. E. Springer a letter of thanks for feeding the boys on the Raleigh trip.

Col. Flavius W. Foster was elected an honorary member, and after a few remarks of advice from Lieut. Morrison (who will work with the company), saying that he was always willing to help a company who helped themselves, the meeting adjourned with the best of feeling prevailing.

Before the meeting adjourned a committee of three was appointed to draft resolutions in regard to Lieut. Morrison's retirement, which was carried unanimously.

It is with regret that the entire company parts with their efficient Commander, who has wrought such changes in the Reserves.

SHELTER OF THE SILVER CROSS.

The Ministering Circle of the King's Daughters will open the "Shelter of the Silver Cross" at Wrightsville Beach, on Saturday afternoon, June 15th, with appropriate religious services, conducted by Rev. Peyton H. Hoge, D. D.

Persons wishing to attend can take the train at 3 p. m., and the ladies in charge are anxious that everybody may become interested in this work, which always appeals to the most kindly impulses of our nature. Any one attending this service, wishing to make an offering in money or in anything useful, may do so, and it is hoped many will avail themselves of this privilege.

The ladies of this Circle in their efforts to sustain this work, and that they may not have to demand too much of their generous friends, earn all they can in various ways, and this demands a great deal of time, not generally known, and which is cheerfully given as a labor of love. The fund thus made is not sufficient to carry on the entire work and they have to ask the kind people of Wilmington to assist them, and they have never asked in vain. But generous contributions have enabled them to crowd the Shelter with poor women and children who in this way only can enjoy the healthful breath of the sea and be fed bountifully from the King's table.

The Beach is now crowded with handsome cottages built by our worthy citizens, who leave comfortable homes in order to enjoy the cool breeze and the invigorating bath. A great many who cannot afford the luxury of a home on the Beach are able to go down two or three times in the week for refreshment and change.

But there are many—so many—poor and helpless families in our city whose houses are small and uncomfortable and who cannot go away for change, where the children droop and pine away, and there is no pleasure in them. Let these poor children feel that there is something for them in this world God has made so beautiful to so many; that there are kind hearts in so many that God has prospered, and they will bring back the bread you cast upon the waters and the sweetness of the beatitude, "Blessed are the merciful, for they shall obtain mercy," will be realized. H.

SPECIAL SERVICES SUNDAY.

Rev. Dr. Patterson's Sermon to Confederate Veterans.

Rev. Dr. Patterson held special services in St. John's Church Sunday afternoon for the Confederate Veterans. About fifty members of Cape Fear Camp attended. They were escorted to the church by a battalion formed of the Wilmington Light Infantry, the Naval Reserves and Zeb Vance Division Uniform Rank Knights of Pythias, all with side-arms only. The church was crowded and many persons were unable to gain admission. Besides Rev. Dr. Patterson, there were present in the chancel Rev. Dr. Carmichael, the rector, and Rev. F. N. Skinner, rector of St. Paul's.

The services began with the hymn "Onward, Christian Soldier," sung by the choir; Rev. Mr. Skinner read the prayers, the creed was said, and this was followed by the hymn, "Soldiers of Chris, Arise." Dr. Patterson then entered the pulpit and began his sermon. It was a beautiful discourse and was heard throughout with intense interest by the large number present. The congregation was dismissed by Dr. Patterson with the benediction, the line was reformed and the Veterans and their escort marched back to the City Hall, where the camp broke ranks and the military proceeded to their armories.

Laurinburg is a Dry Town.

A private telegram received in Wilmington last night by Mr. Jno. F. McNair, from a friend in Laurinburg, N. C., stated that the election held yesterday in that town, was carried by the dry ticket, by 48 majority. The telegram added that there was great excitement; but everything was quiet at the time the dispatch was sent.

If there is anything you want, advertise for it. Is there anything you don't want? Advertise it in the Business Locals of the STAR. One cent a word. But no ad. taken for less than 20 cents. tf

RALEIGH NEWS LETTER.

THE NEXT STATE FAIR WILL BE HELD IN OCTOBER.

The Geological Board Meets To-Day—Delegates to the Silver Conference in Memphis Appointed—Exciting Runaways—An Editor Robbed—Andrews' Opera Company—The Railway Commission—Blind Tom.

[*Star Correspondence.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., June 10.

The Geological Board, which is composed of Gov. Carr, president *ex officio*, Mr. Turner Morehead, of Rockingham, and A. C. Patterson, of Caldwell, meets in the city to-morrow at the Governor's office.

There were three exciting runaways to disturb the quietude of the Sabbath in the city yesterday. In each instance the vehicles were torn to pieces. Wm. Wallace, colored, was thrown from his buggy and internally injured; to what extent it is not learned. His horse severed both tendons in his rear legs, which will ruin it for life.

Col. J. S. Carr, president of the Agricultural Society, and Mr. J. S. Nichols, secretary, have arranged the dates for the next State Fair, which are October 22, 23, 24, 25 and 26. A committee was appointed to revise the premium list. They will meet to-day and report in a few days, so that the list as revised will be out for distribution in about ten days.

The fifteen delegates to the Silver Conference in Memphis have been named by Chairman Mid. T. Leach, of the citizens' meeting held here Friday night. It will be observed that there are no Populists on the committee: Oct. Coke, E. B. Barbee, Judge Walter Clark, R. H. Battle, W. E. Ashley, E. Chambers Smith, W. H. Rand, Armistead Jones, Herbert E. Norris, E. C. Beddingfield, John C. Scarboro, E. C. Beckwith, H. C. Olive, John Drewry, Frank Stronach.

Judge Walter Clarke contributed an able column article in Sunday's Atlanta *Constitution* favoring the Government ownership of telegraph lines.

Mr. Alexander B. Stronach, Jr., a young man 20 years of age, and son of the well known citizen of that name, died early this morning, after several months' illness. Young Stronach contracted a severe case of pneumonia which developed into consumption.

To-morrow Mr. George W. Norwood, of Millbrook, a prominent and prosperous young citizen of this county, will be united in marriage to Miss Mamie Johns, daughter of a prosperous farmer well known in this county.

Rev. E. A. Moffit, editor of the *Christian Sun*, lost his valise while en route to Mt. Auburn church, in Warren county. It contained, besides clothes and other things, the subscription list of the *Christian Sun*. The parties who took the valise are unknown. An editor without a subscription book is, to say the least, in an awkward predicament.

The colored lawyer and ex-alderman, A. E. Johnson, and John Williamson, the colored politician from Louisburg, will probably edit a political sheet in the interest of their race shortly. They hope to begin the publication of the paper this week. The outside will be patented.

The Andrews' Opera Company arrived in the city yesterday thirty strong. "Fra Diavolo" will be presented to-night and "Pretty Persian."

The road to Hillsboro leading out towards the Fair has been paved from the city limits three miles out. It is now one of the best driveways in the State.

Maj. J. W. Wilson and Secretary Brown, of the Railroad Commission, left to-day for the Eastern part of the State to inspect steamboats and railway lines.

A dance will be given this evening by the young gentlemen of the city complimentary to the large number of young ladies in the city who are stopping here for a few days on return trips from the various Commencements.

Blind Tom will appear here next Thursday night.

The building used by Alfred Williams & Co. for the past generation was sold to-day to Mr. P. T. Gray, attorney for L. W. Barringer. The bidding was spirited and lively.

There was a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Y. M. C. A. this evening. It was decided to put new baths in the rooms of the Association as soon as possible.

WELDON NEWS.

A White Man's Foot Crushed—Six Prisoners Sent to the Penitentiary.

[*Star Correspondence.*]

WELDON, N. C., June 10.—A white man attempted to board a South bound freight train on the Atlantic Coast Line here yesterday a. m. and his foot was so badly mangled as to necessitate amputation. The company is having him properly cared for, as usual, for which they deserve much praise. This is simply a deed of charity on their part.

Sheriff Clark of this (Halifax) county, took six prisoners to the penitentiary today, two colored and four white.

Special Rates on S. A. L.

On account of the Annual Convention Women's Christian Temperance Union, Charlotte, N. C., June 19th–23nd, the Seaboard Air Line will sell round trip tickets to that point at reduced rates. Rate from Wilmington $7.75. Tickets on sale June 17th, 18th and 19th. Final limit June 24th.

On account of the North Carolina Teachers' Association at Raleigh, N. C., June 19th to 26th, the S. A. L. will sell round trip tickets to that point at reduced rates. Rate from Wilmington, $5.80. Tickets on sale June 17th to 22nd; final limit July 3rd.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington & Weldon R. R.—17 casks spirits turpentine, 4 bbls tar, 54 bbls crude turpentine.

Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta R. R.—41 casks spirits turpentine, 159 bbls rosin, 34 bbls tar, 53 bbls crude turpentine.

C. F. & Y. V. R. R.—25 casks spirits turpentine, 17 bbls tar.

Stmr Frank Sessoms—29 casks spirits turpentine, 187 bbls rosin, 65 bbls tar, 11 bbls crude turpentine.

Total receipts—Spirits turpentine, 112 casks; rosin, 396 bbls; tar, 130 bbls; crude turpentine, 17 bbls.

Housekeepers who want servants are in the habit of supplying their needs from the STAR'S want column. Are you looking for a situation? The STAR'S want column will bring you the best results. One cent a word. But no ad. taken for less than 20 cents. tf

One Cent a Word.

Hereafter advertisements to go in our "Business Locals" department will be charged one cent per word for each insertion; but no advertisement, however short, will be taken for less than 20 cents.

This is a reduction from former rates, and it is also a convenience to advertisers, who can calculate the exact cost of their advertisements, which must be paid for always in advance.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

☞ NOTICES For Rent or Sale, Lost and Found Wants, and other short miscellaneous advertisements inserted in this Department, in leaded Nonpareil type, on first or fourth page, at Publisher's option, for 1 cent per word each insertion; but no advertisement taken for less than 25 cents. Terms, positively cash in advance.

Manufacturing Concern desires to appoint one energetic business man in Wilmington (and every city not already taken). Applicant must furnish few hundred dollars cash capital to pay for goods on delivery after orders have been received for same. No bonus; no money in advance; previous experience unnecessary. We are manufacturing a specialty, almost a monopoly, not a luxury, something which will reduce expenses; needed by every firm, factory, mill, hotel, store etc., throughout the land. From $300 to $400 monthly can be made; References required. F. E. Vail, Morse Building, New York. June 11 3t

The Wilmington Intelligence Bureau. We are able to furnish any kind of servant wanted free of charge. Wants for Monday: Three Porters, five Waiters and three first-class Cooks, to go to Southport, Carolina Beach and to the Sound. Call at No. 8 South Second street. R. B. Reardon, Proprietor, J. R. Sampson, Manager. je 9 tf

For Rent—The Bates Cottage, Carolina Beach, furnished and ready for use. Apply to D. O'Connor, Real Estate Agent. je 9 3t

Photographs.—U. C. Ellis, at No. 114 Market street, for the latest style, best quality, finest finished and lowest-priced Photographs—$1.00 per dozen. U. C. ELLIS. ct1

Butter for 15c. per pound. Best in the city for the price. Groceries of all kinds at lowest prices. Neill McKinnon, No. 3 South Water street. ct1

$5.00 to **$20.00** Per week using and selling Old Reliable Plater. Every family has rusty, worn knives, forks, spoons, &c., Quickly plated by dipping in melted metal. No experience or hard work; a good situation. Address W. P. Harrison & Co., Clerk No. 14, Columbus, Ohio. June 4 9t

Baskets, Vegetable Baskets for the shipment of Peas, Beans, Cucumbers, etc. For sale at Jno. S. McEachern's Grain and Feed Store, 211 Market street. ct1

Palmetto Brewing Co., of Charleston, S. C. Export, Rice and Lager Beer. Branch office No. 402 Nutt street; deliveries promptly made anywhere in city. F. Richter, Manager. ct1

Hayden, P. H., has in stock buggies, road carts and harness of all kinds. Repairing done by skilful workmen on short notice. Opposite new Court House. ct1

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Molasses and Syrup.

15 bbls. S. H. Molasses.
20 bbls. N. O. Molasses.
25 bbls. Cuba Molasses.
40 bbls. P. R. Molasses.
15 bbls. Vanilla Drip Syrup.
10 bbls. Honey Drip Syrup.
10 bbls. Sugar Syrup.
Complete list.
Prices on application.

W. B. COOPER,
Wholesale Grocer and Commission Merchant,
226 North Water Street,
June 11 tf D&W Wilmington, N. C.

St. John's Lodge No. 1, A. F. & A. M,

Regular monthly Communication this (Tuesday) evening at 8 o'clock.

Visiting Brethren are cordially invited to attend,

WM. M. POISSON,
June 14 1t Secretary.

Steamer Wilmington,

ON AND AFTER JUNE 13th leaves for Southport and Carolina Beach at 9 a. m and 3 p. m. Leaves Southport 12 30 and 5.30 p. m; Leaves Carolina Beach 1.30 and 6.30 daily, except Sunday. Leaves Wilmington Sunday 10 a. m. Leaves Southport 5 p. m., Beach 6 p. m. Fare to Beach 50c; round trip 35c on 3 p. m. trip. Twelve round trips $3.50, good on any trip.

June 9 tf J. W. HARPER.

Notice.

A MEETING of the Carolina Yacht Club is called for Tuesday night, June 11th, at 8.15 o'clock, o'clock, when action will be taken on the Reserve Fund, and such other business as may be brought before it. Meet at room Board of Audit and Finance.

By order of G. W. KIDDER.
June 9 2t N. H. QUINCE, Purser.

Going, Going, Gone.

Some things we are going to do and others that we ain't goin' to do.

WE ARE GOING
To try to sell to every man, woman and child in Wilmington.

WE AIN'T GOIN'
To dispense or sell stale or cheap stuff, because we can't; we don't carry such in stock.

WE ARE GOIN'
To do as we have done heretofore, dispense and sell only the best goods. If you want CHEAP Medicine don't come to us please, we don't want your trade.

WE AIN'T GOIN'
To shut down on those who do not pay up promptly.

WE AIN'T GOIN'
To run the drug business for the benefit of deadbeats and make good customers pay for it.

WE ARE GOIN'
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The Morning Star.

BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

TUESDAY MORNING, JUNE 11, 1895

THE CONCENTRATION OF CAPITAL.

One of the greatest troubles with which the people of this country have to contend is the concentration of capital. To make money perform its office fully it should be distributed as development of business may require, and be kept moving. The dollar which is locked up practically ceases to be a dollar, and the dollar which is too far off to be within reach might as well not be in existence.

Money was originally made not to be a thing of value in itself but merely as a representation of value in something else and as a convenient medium of exchange. The piece of metal which was made to represent money, whether of gold, silver, copper or iron, originally represented a certain amount of something which people exchanged with each other, and that's what it really is to-day, simply a representative of some species of property which may pass from the possession of one person to another. When there is not a sufficient amount of these representatives of value to answer the needs of persons who trade with each other then business suffers, and when the scarcety becomes very excessive then there is serious business depression amounting sometimes to paralysis.

But in the business methods of these days the order of ideas has been reversed and the representative of value has taken the place of the thing it represents, has become the principal instead of the agent. The value of a bushel of wheat, a barrel of pork, or a ton of iron is measured by the coin for which these things are exchanged, because the men whose business it it is to supply commerce with the money it needs, put their own price on the money, and the man who holds it fixes the price of the thing he buys unless the man who sells is independent enough to put a price on the thing he sells. But generally speaking, the money-holder has the advantage of the situation and his dollars rule the prices in the markets of the world.

It is a fact that the bulk of the money of the world is controlled by a very small number of men, the men who do the lending to the nations. One man controls the money of China, one family controls the money of Europe, and less than a score of men all told control the money of this country. We do not mean by this that the one man in China, the one family in Europe, or the less than a score of men in this country own it all or the bulk of it, but they own enough to raise or lower its market price, when it may be to their interest to do either.

Any country whose volume of currency can be controlled by any combination of men, whether large or small, is in a bad condition and is practically in the power of that combination. It is a dangerous condition, too, from which a country may suffer in time of peace or war; in peace industries may be paralyzed and distress and suffering be brought to millions; in war armies may be paralyzed and a country's flag go down in defeat and humiliation. It is not the King, nor the Parliament nor the Congress that always rule, but frequently the men or the combination of men who sit with their hands on the strings of the money bags and dictate the terms upon which they shall be opened. Many Governments have had more or less experience on this line. In the late war both the United States and the Confederate States had, for both when the pinch came issued fiat money.

But in peace the concentrated money power makes itself felt in shaping the legislation which affects money, and so shaping it that the few will continue to have control of it, and thus regulate its flow, with a view to increasing its value, and its purchasing power. Through such legislation they have established what are called money centers, from which the flow of money must come, and a monetary system which puts the bulk of the volume of the currency absolutely in their power, and they will fight the establishment of any other system or anything else which directly or indirectly threatens that control. The bulk of the money of the United States is, and has for thirty years been centered in that section North of the Potomac river and East of the Alleghaney mountains, a comparatively small section, although a comparatively populous one. Its population, through its numerical representation, enables it to control the legislation of Congress in matters in which it is interested. That section has control, directly or indirectly, of the 3,000 national banks in this country, and these control the bulk of the circulating medium.

That is the section which is waging the strong war against the silver dollar, and that section, too, is the one that will make the strongest fight against the repeal of the tax on State banks, which would open the way for State banks. The men who run the national banks know that if State banks were established the monopoly they have held would cease, and that is a sufficient reason with them for opposing the repeal of the bank tax. They now have the money question just where they want it, they have it centralized where they can control it, and it will never be decentralized until State banks are again established and the monopoly of money-lending be thus wrested from the few who have held it so long and used it so unmercifully.

MINOR MENTION.

Col. J. Washington Watts, of Laurens, S. C., is endeavoring to stimulate an interest in sheep culture in that State, and believes that if the proper legislation were enacted to protect the sheep from dogs, that would become a great sheep-raising State. He has raised them for forty years, and says he has found them the most profitable stock he could raise. The Rockingham *Rocket* of last week quotes "an old resident of Hamlet" as saying that "forty years ago there were 100 sheep to every man in that section. Now there are 100 men to every sheep." As far as the sheep question goes, South Carolina and North Carolina are in the same fix, and we do not suppose there is any Southern State to make an exception. They are all in it, for the prowling, sheep-killing dog has the range and the whole territory is his. We haven't the statistics at hand, but we know the fact that there were many times as many sheep in the South before the war as there are now, and many times fewer dogs. When the colored brother was emancipated and became his own master he also became, as soon as he could, the master of a gun and a pack of dogs of all degrees, and as the average white man had also weakness for many and various kinds of dogs the dog tribes increased and multiplied, and the sheep herds grew fewer, smaller and further between. Now the man who undertakes to raise sheep must watch over them and then he will be lucky if with all his vigilance the prowling dogs do not get on their track and run them down. Unfortunately the men who own the most dogs have the least use for them and are the least able to feed them, have a vote, and that's what's the matter. Legislators will not tackle the dog right, because they are afraid of those votes, and therefore the sheep-growing industry, which would bring millions annually into the South, if it were properly protected, languishes and but few have the courage to engage in it. Some of these days, *perhaps*, legislatures may show nerve enough to declare war against the sheep-killing cur and then the South may become the finest sheep-raising section in this country.

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Senator Quay, of Pennsylvania, says the Republican leaders are making a great mistake in helping the Democrats to agitate the silver question. He thinks they should stick to the tariff if they want to win in 1896. When it comes to political manipulating Senator Quay is a pretty astute citizen, and has gumption enough to catch on to the fact that there is dynamite in the silver question. But his remark comes rather in the way of a warning than reproof, for the Republican leaders are helping the Democrats very little to agitate the silver question, as they are playing a conspicuously mum game on that and when they do speak it is always in a noncommittal, straddle sort of a way. Col. Carter, (chairman of the Republican National Committee), and Senator Cameron, (his candidate for the Presidency,) are about the bluntest of the lot, but Carter gives notice in advance that whatever the position of the party on that question may be will stick to the party. Ex-Senator Ingalls, of Kansas, announces that while he is a bimetallist he is a Republican first and if the party will not go with him he will go with the party, and when it comes to the test that's what all the leaders will do and they will rope in the rank and file as they have been in the habit of doing. When it comes to making a platform they will build one broad enough to hold all the factions.

The late Secretary Gresham was fond of children, who were always glad to see him come. All men who are built right are fond of children.

Mr. Stephen B. Elkins, who has a 'barl," and has also acquired a seat in the United States Senate, has an ambition to hitch himself to Mr. Harrison and be Vice President. He has been gently remarking for some time that the Republican party should take up some good Southern man for the second place on the ticket, but Stephen's well known modesty has prevented him from rising to remark that he was the man that wore that tag.

Russia suspects Great Britain of playing a game of intrigue in the East, and Great Britain suspects Russia of doing ditto, and the indications are that the suspicions of both are well founded.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— Senator Teller, of Colorado, who is quite a keen observer of political events predicts that the dismemberment of the Republican party would surely follow the approval of the gold standard by the next Republican National Convention. This prediction may serve as a set-off to Senator Sherman's prophecy concerning the fate of the Democratic party.—*Phil. Record, Dem.*

—— In a contested will case pending in this city a part of the attempt to prove the testator insane consists of testimony showing that he was in the habit of taking sun-baths at midnight. This certainly looks as if there was some aberration of mind, but a gentleman who expects to get a sun-bath at midnight is not more demented than such gentleman as those Republicans in Kentucky and Maryland who expect to bathe in the sunlight of victory this year. It will not do rashly to infer insanity from mere indications.—*New York World, Dem.*

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

—Charlotte *Observer*: Miss Eunice Kirkpatrick is a daughter of Mr. J. Walter Kirkpatrick. She is given to walking in her sleep. Several nights ago she walked out of a window six feet from the ground. She did not fall, but after getting outside closed the window behind her, and then walked 'round to the front porch. As she walked upon the porch the barking of the dog awoke her. She called for her father, who quickly appeared, and took her back to her room.

—Washington *Gazette*: On Sunday Mrs. Gatsey T. Gay, at a ripe old age passed into the better land. She had for two years been an invalid. ——It is with grief that we announce the death of Mrs. Thaddeus R. Hodges, near Old Ford, on Monday morning of malarial complications. ——Deputy Marshal J. C. Thomas, arrested Sam Powers at Head of Pungo for passing counterfeit money. At the hearing before Commissioner Simmons he was bound over to Court in the sum of $500, in default of which he was incarcerated in the county jail.

— Goldsboro *Headlight*: Mr. Henry Lee, of Goldsboro, has a strawberry which he has brought to a very high standard. It is of a new variety, developing on his farm, and is an exceptionally finely colored and flavored berry. One of these berries measured 6¼ inches in circumference. This gives an idea of the size to which they grow. On June the first, when berries were low Mr. Lee received thirty cents a quart for several quarts of this berry on the Northern market. He has named it the Sallie Pierce berry, in honor of Mrs. T. B. Pierce, of Warsaw."

— Charlotte *News*: Dr. Langley, the hermit who lived in a mud hut in the Rocky River section of Cabarrus, is dead. His death occurred in his lonely hut yesterday morning. —— The work of harvesting the oats crop has been actively in progress this week, and as wheat is ripening fast, the cradles and the reaping machines will be busy next week. The oats crop is only fairly good but the wheat is splendid. The farmers generally report a good stand of cotton and corn. The cotton fields were never better worked or in a cleaner condition than they are now, and all that is needed is a few showers and continued hot sunshine.

— Kinston *Free Press*. Mr. Norton Moore, a very aged citizen of Ft. Barnwell, Craven county, died last Sunday. He was about 90 years old.—— Mrs. Rachel Whitehurst, aged abont 90 years, died last Sunday at Straits, Carteret county. ——Mrs. Charity Brown, wife of Mr. Isaac Brown, of Tuckahoe, Jones county, died last Friday and was buried Saturday, aged about 60 years.

— Durham *Sun*: Westly Mangum, a highly respected citizen, residing near Mangum's store, died suddenly at his dinner table yesterday at noon. He was about 69 years of age. Apoplexy was the probable cause.

TWINKLINGS

— A.—I hear that your friend X. has gone to South America. Was it upon his physician's advice?

B.—No; his lawyer's.—*Tid Bits.*

—Mr. Flatte—My wife takes me down frequently in the elevator.

Mr. Cottage—(with deep feeling)—We haven't an elevator, but that doesn't make any difference.—*Detroit Free Press.*

—Belle—Wouldn't it break Maud's heart if she realized that he married her for her money?

Blanche—No, I think not; she's just as conceited about that as she is a bou anything else.—*Puck.*

APPOINTMENTS FOR VISITATIONS

By the Bishop of East Carolina.

June 11th—Tuesday, Hertford, Holy Trinity

June 13th—Thursday, p m, South Mills, S John's

June 14th—Friday, p m, Elizabeth City, S John's

June 16th—Sunday, 1st after Trinity, a m, Elizabeth City, Christ Church

June 16th—Sunday, 1st after Trinity, p m, Weeksville, S John's

June 19th—Wednesday, a m, Makelyville, S John's

June 19th—Wednesday, p m, Sladesville

June 20th—Thursday, p m, Fairfield

June 23rd—Sunday, 2nd after Trinity, a m, Lake Landing, S George's

June 23d—Sunday, 2nd after Trinity, p m, Swan Quarter

June 25th—Tuesday, a m, Washington county, S Luke's

June 25th—Tuesday, p m, Roper, Church of the Advent

June 27th—Thursday, Columbia, S Andrew's

June 30th—Sunday, 3rd after Trinity, Scuppernong, S David's

July 2d—Tuesday a m, Haslin, S James

July 3d—Tuesday p m, Pantego, S Augustin's

July 8—Wednesday a m, Yeatesville

July 3d—Wednesday p m, Bath, S Thomas

July 7th, Sunday a m, 4th after Trinity, Durham's Creek, S John's

July 7th, Sunday p m, 4th after Trinity, Aurora, Chapel of the Cross

July 14th, Sunday a m, 5th after Trinity, Beaufort, S Paul's

July 14th, Sunday p m, 5th after Trinity, Beaufort, S Clements

July 16th, Tuesday p m, Trenton, Grace

THE CONFESSION OF AN AUTHOR.

Writing a Book, He Says, Is Like Firing a Shot In the Dark.

All of us who write books fire more or less into the dark—into that strange, busy outside world where they read books and do not write them. The image of the marksman will last a little longer. We peer into the uncertainty, see people of this kind and poor people of that, portly, serious men, anæmic earnest men, massive, responsible men, jovial souls, blades, a multitudinous variety of fools, grave, tender women with pure minds, wild, adventurous women with pure minds, respectable women decently impure, earnest women indecently pure, curious youths and maidens, a vast multitude, reading, reading, reading. There are worked out folks needing distraction, miserable souls asking for comfort, real or sham, curious minds requiring plausible new solutions of the great paradox of things, babes awakening to strong meat. We authors and authoresses and authorlings regard them steadfastly.

"I will have yonder good woman," says one of us, and bang goes his book, full of purity and pathos. There is a yelp, and a Philistine gentleman rolls over, touched profoundly. "I will appeal to my wronged, unhappy sisters," says an authoress, "frankly and openly," and so plows a long lane through the crowd, achieving quite a heap of curious, ribald young men. "A silver bullet," says another of us, "the costliest material and the best of workmanship," and he hits no human being—bags only a brace of unsubstantial reviewers.

The great majority of us, authors, authoresses and authorlings, do not know our readers. All of us have an idea, but we feel the chances are against its being correct. One would like to try something of this kind, a sort of agony advertisement opposite the title page: "If you find this book altogether satisfactory and can conveniently spare the time, will you, dear reader, come to"—Kensington Gardens, say—"at 3 o'clock on the 1st of May, with a white flower in your dress or buttonhole, as the case may be?" It might be a most delightful gathering for some of us. One would like to see Professor Drummond's assembly—a curious crowd of serious people without solidity—or Huysmans'.

It is a dream of course, for very few readers care enough for any author to take as much trouble as the walk demands. The unhappy genius would simply meet a large crowd of curious people—reporters and all the rival geniuses—and not one of them would have a flower. It is a pleasant fancy, though incredible, to suppose the author finding just one solitary white blossom—dropped shyly near the gates. It would serve for a sonnet perhaps. But the real reader would remain unconfessing and unseen. No—we shall never meet that reader of ours upon earth, that guardian reader, loyal and affectionate, who watches over each one of us. It may be we shall meet him in another world—him or her. In heaven, it may be.

Literary criticism is overmuch given to ignoring the reader, a fault that needs correction. Books are not written "in the absolute"—they aim. And the reader is, or should be, the aim of them all. It is absurd to review a book entirely, as people put it, "on its own merits." That has ever been the vice of academic criticism. But you might as well judge shooting without looking at the target. "Here," your critic might say, "is an admirable marksman. Notice the pretty turn of his wrist, the sympathetic twinkle in his aiming eye, the perfect correctness of his protruded foot, the classical finish of his sighting." "He has missed?" "What matter? The target is a fool." This leads to a pessimistic view of targets. And assuredly the reader is the aim of the book, or why is it written?—London Saturday Review.

The Champion Neat Woman.

There is a woman in eastern Maine who couldn't go to a picnic when invited because she couldn't get time. "I have so much work at home," she said, "I can't go anywhere." Yet this same woman afterward sent a lot of old rags to a junk dealer, where she realized a cent a pound perhaps, and every piece of them had been newly washed and ironed smooth and was neatly folded up. The thing was so funny that the junkman put the rags on exhibition as the work of a woman who was short of time. She can now safely lay claim to the title of "champion neat woman of America."—Lewiston Journal.

Longfellow.

Longfellow was slow to talk about his own poetry, but from hints given by his biographers it is evident that he considered "Evangeline" as his best and his translation of Dante as second in point of merit. Many of his admirers will agree with him as to the first, few as to the second. He once said, "If I were to rewrite 'Hiawatha,' I would use a different meter."

Nonsensical Names.

It has been complained that foolish names are often bestowed on the materials in which we garb ourselves, and that it is nonsense to speak of "electric blue," "crushed strawberry" or "Loie Fuller," but such titles are sensible and descriptive compared to many used to describe fashionable tints in vogue during the reign of Louis XIV. What should we think nowadays of "consoled widow," "expiring ape," "invalid Spaniard," "risen dead," "love's desire" and "baboon laughter?"—Chicago Post.

Spell the Same Both Ways.

I have collected the following palindromes during the last three years and herewith present them for the curious to ponder over: Adda, Anna, bab, bib, bob, bub, civic, dad, deed, deified, deified, dewed, did, dood, ecce, eve, ewe, eye, gog, gig, gag, level, madam, Maram, noon, non, Otto, pap, peep, pip, pop, pup, redder, refer, repaper, reviver, rotator, sees, selles, sexes, shahs, sis, siris, semes, stellets, tat, tenet, tit, toot, tot, tut, waw and welew.—St. Louis Republic.

Cicero had a voice so pleasant that whenever it was known he was to speak, though only in an ordinary law case, the court immediately filled with people.

The oil wells of Baku cover a district of country 25 miles long by over half a mile in breadth.

AIDED WILKES BOOTH

THOMAS JONES, THE MAN WHO SHIELDED LINCOLN'S MURDERER.

Kept Him In Hiding Six Days and Helped Him to Reach Virginia—The Reward of $300,000 Offered by the Government Had Not the Power to Move Him.

There died in Charles county, Md., not long ago Thomas A. Jones, at the age of 74. Jones held a position in the Washington navy yard, but was dismissed through the influence of Congressman Mudd of Maryland, who had informed the secretary of the navy that Jones had played a prominent part in the escape of John Wilkes Booth, the assassin of President Lincoln.

"It's quite true," admitted Jones at the time of his dismissal. "John Wilkes Booth, with a broken ankle, sick and suffering the tortures of the damned, was placed in my hands to be spirited across the river, and the $300,000 reward, or even $8,000,000, would not have caused me to turn traitor to the southern Confederacy, the people I loved, and surrender a man whose life was in my keeping, even if I did know he had assassinated President Lincoln."

Jones afterward told how Booth came into his hands. "It was on the morning of the 16th of April," he said, "when friends of Samuel Cox came to my house on Huckleberry farm, Maryland, and told me that Cox wanted to see me at once. I had heard the evening before that Lincoln had been killed. I had a horse saddled and rode over to Cox's, who told me that Booth and David Herold had been there and wanted assistance to get across the river. I was told where the men were—in a pine thicket about a mile and a half from the house.

"I was given instructions how to reach them without being shot—certain signs by whistling, etc. Upon reaching the dense pines I met Herold, to whom I explained that I was sent by Cox. I was then piloted to where Booth was. He lay on the ground, wrapped in a pile of blankets, and his face bore traces of pain. Booth asked many questions as to what people thought of the assassination. He appeared to be proud of what he had done. I at the time thought he had done a good act, but, great God, I soon saw that it was the worst blow ever struck for the south!

"I did the best I could for the poor fellow. I carried him papers to read and something to eat and tried to keep him in good spirits until I got a chance to send him across the river. The country was full of soldiers and detectives, and I did not know how soon I could get him away.

"I think it was the following Tuesday I went up to Port Tobacco to see how the land lay, and it was there, in the barroom of Brawner's hotel, that Captain William Williams, chief of the United States secret service, said he would give $300,000 to any man who would tell where Booth was."

"That's true," admitted Captain Williams at the time of the above interview, "and he would have been General Jones instead of a discharged employee from the navy yard if he had given the information."

"I did the best I could for Booth and Herold," continued Jones. "I did not know them, but when Cox put them in my keeping nothing would have tempted me to betray them. I could have placed my hands on Booth, but honor and truth were worth more to me than the entire wealth of the government.

"At the expiration of the sixth day I heard the officers give orders for the cavalry to go down in St. Mary's county; that the assassins were there. That was my chance, and I made good time to where Booth and Herold were concealed. Booth was glad to know that his time to get into Virginia had come.

"The night was dark, and Herold and I lifted Booth on to my horse. Our progress was slow. We finally reached my house, and I went in to get them something to eat. We then proceeded to the river. Booth was lifted into the boat and was placed in the stern, while Herold took the oars. I then lighted a candle and showed Booth by his compass how to steer to get into Machodoc creek and gave him directions to Mrs. Quesenberry's, who, I thought, would take care of him. That was the last I saw of Booth.

"When notices were posted up that to furnish bread or water to Booth meant death," went on Jones, "I felt pretty shaky. I knew that Booth had hit the Virginia shore. I was arrested and taken to Washington, where I was held for seven weeks. Then I was discharged because nobody believed I knew anything."—New York World.

Seat of the Thunder God.

"Trembling mountain," a massive pile of peculiarly arranged rocks lying on Rogue river, almost directly north of Montreal, was known to the Indians by a combination of words signifying "seat of the thunder god. "According to their traditions, the thunder god formerly used a broad and deep indentation on its summit as a seat, and that therein he would sit for three days in spring, seven in summer, five in autumn and two in winter. They also believed that during the time he was present great chasms would open in the side of the mountain, from which fire would stream for hours without ceasing. Nothing is known concerning the early history of the mountain, but it is thought that the legend refers to old time volcanic action, an opinion strengthened by its geographical name of "Trembling mountain."—St. Louis Republic.

An Opening.

"Why don't you quit the stage and start a secondhand book store?"

"I don't see why there is any especial call for me to start a secondhand book store any more than any other business," replied the actor haughtily.

"Oh, I thought it would suit you pretty well. It is the very place for back numbers."—Cincinnati Tribune.

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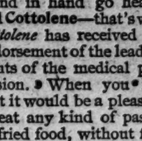

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So Womanly.

That the ways of woman are passing strange was again proved by an incident on a Main street car last evening. A gentleman arose to offer his seat to a lady who had just entered with her little boy. Seeing the seat vacant, she sent the boy to occupy it, while she clung to a strap. She was evidently very tired and would have enjoyed a seat, but preferred to care for her son first. Presently a lady left the car, and the one standing took her seat. Next to her was a serving maid with a pretty baby on her lap. The lady asked permission to hold it, and the request being granted she cooed and talked and played with the child for a half hour, utterly oblivious of her own boy's jealous cries and frantic efforts to attract attention.—Cincinnati Tribune.

Worth's Frankness.

Kate Field says she thinks that Worth made for her the only dress that he ever made of American material. She took him a piece of American satin for the purpose, and at first he refused point blank to touch it. "The manufacturers at Lyons would never forgive me," he said. "They would accuse me of treachery." But eventually Miss Field's persuasion prevailed. Worth was exceedingly frank to his customers. "Choose that color if you like," he said one day to a rich American woman, "but you'll look like a fright, and your husband will refuse to pay the bill."

Yet They Were Not Inflammable.

Farmer—You had a fire at the manse this morning. Any serious loss?

Minister—Yes; ten years' sermons were completely burned.

Farmer (with the memory of many a weary Sunday morning)—Faith, but they made a gran' blaze—they were so dry, ye ken!—London Tit-Bits.

Wholesale Prices Current.

☞ The following quotations represent Wholesale Prices generally. In making up small orders highe prices have to be charged.

The quotations are always given as accurately a possible, but the STAR will not be responsible for any variations from the actual market price of the articles quoted.

BAGGING—		
2-lb Jute		6
Standard	7¼@	7¾
WESTERN SMOKED—		
Hams, ℔ lb	13½@	14
Sides, ℔ lb	8½@	10
Shoulders, ℔ lb	4@	8½
DRY SALTED—		
Sides, ℔ lb	7 @	7¾
Shoulders, ℔ lb	6½@	
BARRELS— Spirits Turpentine—		
Second-hand, each	@	1 15
New New York, each	1 35 @	1 40
New City, each	@	1 40
BEESWAX, ℔ lb	@	30
BRICKS—		
Wilmington, ℔ M	6 50 @	7 00
Northern	9 00 @	14 00
BUTTER—		
North Carolina, ℔ lb	15 @	
Northern	23 @	
CORN MEAL—		
Per bushel, in sacks	@	0
Virginia Meal	55 @	65
COTTON TIES— ℔ bundle	@	70
CANDLES— ℔ lb—		
Sperm	18 @	25
Adamantine	9 @	10
CHEESE— ℔ lb—		
Northern Factory	10 @	11
Dairy, Cream	11 @	12
State	@	10
COFFEE— ℔ lb—		
Laguyra	@	28
Rio	@	23
	16 @	99
DOMESTICS—		
Sheeting, 4-4, ℔ yard	5 @	6¼
Yarns, ℔ bunch	18 @	90
EGGS— ℔ dozen	@	10
FISH—		
Mackerel, No. 1, ℔ barrel	22 00 @	30 00
Mackerel, No. 1, ℔ half-barrel	11 00 @	15 00
Mackerel, No. 2 ℔ barrel	16 00 @	18 00
Mackerel, No. 2 ℔ half-barrel	8 00 @	9 00
Mackerel, No. 3, ℔ barrel	13 00 @	14 00
Mullets, ℔ barrel	3 25 @	3 50
Mullets, ℔ pork barrel	@	6 50
N. C. Roe Herring ℔ keg	3 50 @	4 00
Dry Cod, ℔ lb	5 @	10
" Extra	3 25 @	3 50
Second Patent	3 50 @	4 00
City Mills—Super	@	2 90
" " Family	3 25 @	3 75
FLOUR— ℔ barrel—		
Low grade	3 25 @	3 75
Choice	4 00 @	4 50
Straight	4 10 @	4 75
First Patent	5 00 @	5 25
GLUE— ℔ lb	7½@	10
GRAIN— ℔ bushel—		
Corn, from store, bags—White	57½@	67½
Corn, cargo, in bulk—White	@	62½
Corn, cargo, in bags—White	@	65
Oats, from store	@	45
Oats, Rust Proof	@	50
Cow Peas	85 @	1 00
HIDES, ℔ lb—		
Green	@	4
Dry	@	8½
HAY, ℔ 100 lbs—		
Eastern	@	1 00
Western	@	90
North River	@	90
HOOP IRON, ℔ lb	2 @	3½
LARD, ℔ lb—		
Northern	5½@	90
North Carolina	8½@	9
LIME, ℔ barrel		1 25
LUMBER (city sawed) ℔ M feet—		
Ship Stuff, resawed	18 00 @	30 00
Rough-Edge Plank	15 00 @	16 00
West Indis cargoes, according to quality	13 00 @	18 00
Dressed Flooring, seasoned	18 00 @	22 00
Scantling and Board, common	14 00 @	15 00
MOLASSES, ℔ gallon—		
New Crop Cuba, in hhds	@	26
" " in bbls	@	26
Porto Rico, in hhds	25 @	37½
" " in bbls	@	27
Sugar-House, in hhds	@	14
" " in bbls	@	16
Syrup, in bbls	25 @	45
NAILS, ℔ keg, Cut, 60d basis	1 00 @	1 25
ORE, ℔ ton—		
City Mines	@	15 50
Rum	@	15 00
Prime	@	15 00
ROPE, ℔ lb	10 @	22
SALT, ℔ sack	@	75
Liverpool	@	65
Lisbon	@	
American	@	55
125-℔ Sacks	45 @	50
SHINGLES, 7-inch, & M	5 00 @	7 00
Common	3 00 @	3 50
Cypress Saps	4 50 @	5 00
Cypress Hearts	@	7 50
SUGAR, ℔ lb—Standard Granu'd	@	4½
Standard A	@	4½
White Ex. C	@	4¼
Extra C, Golden	@	4¼
C, Yellow	@	3¾
OAP, ℔ lb—Northern	3½@	
TAVES, ℔ M—W. O. Barrel	8 00 @	14
R. O. Hogshead	@	10 00
TIMBER, & M feet—Shipping	00 @	9 00
Mill, Prime	00 @	7 00
Mill, Fair	6 50 @	4 50
Common Mill	4 00 @	3 50
Inferior to Ordinary	3 00 @	3 00
TALLOW, ℔ lb	@	5
WHISKEY, ℔ gallon—Northern	1 00 @	2
North Carolina	1 00 @	2
WOOL, ℔ lb—Washed	14 @	
Clear of burs	10 @	
Merry	@	

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

STAR OFFICE, June 10.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—Firm at 26¼ cents per gallon for country and 27 cents for standard casks.

ROSIN—Market firm at $1 15 per bbl. for Strained and $1 20 for Good Strained.

TAR.—Market steady at $1 25 per bbl. of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market steady at $1 20 for Hard, $1 80 for Yellow Dip and $2 25 for Virgin.

COTTON—Steady at 6⅞c for middling.

RECEIPTS.

Cotton	00 bales
Spirits Turpentine	112 casks
Rosin	296 bbls
Tar	120 bbls
Crude Turpentine	117 bbls

DOMESTIC MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, June 10—Evening—Money on call was easy 1@1½ per cent., last loan at 1 per cent and closing offere at 1 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 3@3½ per cent. Sterling exchange was easier; actual business in bankers' bills at 488¼@488½ for sixty days and 489@489¼ for demand. Commercial bills 487¼@487¾. Government bonds firm; United States coupon fours 113; United States twos 97. State bonds steady; North Carolina fours 102, North Carolina sixes 125½ Railroad bonds higher.

Silver at the Stock Exchange to-day was quiet.

COMMERCIAL.

NEW YORK, June 10—Evening—Cotton steady; middling gulf 7¼c, middling uplands 7¼c.

Futures closed steady; sales to day of 188,500 bales; June 7.17c; July 7.17c; August 7 21; September 7.24; October 7.28c, November 7 30c; December 7.34c; January 7 39; February 7 44c; March 7.49c.

Net receipts — bales; gross receipts 518 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,713 bales; exports to France 400 bales; exports to the Continent 1,362 bales; forwarded 9 bales; sales 1,059 bales, sales to spinners 467 bales; stock (actual) 317,224 bales.

Total to day—Net receipts 2,509 bales; exports to Great Britain 3,796 bales; exports to France 400 bales; exports to the Continent 1,262 bales; stock 476,184 bales

Total so far this week—Net receipts 5,671 bales; exports to Great Britain 4,796 bales; to France 3,541 bales; to the Continent 9,945 bales; to the Channel — bales.

Total since September 1—Net receipts 5 854,646 bales; exports to Great Britain 3,319,762 bales; exports to France 770,703 bales; exports to the Continent 2,368,920 bales.

Flour was firm, with a light demand; winter wheat, low grades $2 70@$3 50; fair to fancy grades $3 75@4 25; patents $4 25@4 75; Minnesota clear $3 20@3 60, do. patents $4 15@5 20; low extras $2 70@3 50; city mills $4 40. Southern flour was quiet and firm; common to fair extra $2 65@3 40, good to choice do. $3 50@4 25. Wheat dull, with options lower; No. 2 red in store and at elevator 82½c; afloat 83¼@83½c; options opened firm and unchanged, advanced ½@⅝c, declined 1⅜@1¾, rallied ⅜@½c on late foring buying, and closed firm at ½@⅝c below Saturday; No. 2 red June 82½c; July 83, August 83⅜c; September 84c; October 84½c; December 85⅜c. Corn moderately active and esier; No. 2 at elevator 56⅝@76¾c; afloat 57⅝@67⅞c; options were dull irsegular with wheat and the West, closing at ¼c below Saturday; July 57c; September 58½c. Oats dull and firmer; optons firm and moderately active; June 33⅜c; July 34c; September 34½c; spot—No. 2, 34@34½; No. 2 white 37c; mixed Western 33@35c. Hay was quiet and steady; shipping 50@55c; good to choice 70@75c. Wool firm and in moderate demand; domestic fleece 15@19; pulled 16@30. Beef was dull; family $11 00@13 00; extra mess $8 00; beef hams quiet at $18 50; tierced beel steady; city extra India mess $17 00@19 00. Cut meats dull but steady; pickled bellies 6c asked; pickled shoulders 5¼c; pickled hams 9@9¼c. Lard firmer and quiet; Western steam $6 73½@6 75; city 6 25; July $6 95, nominal; September $7 15, nominal; refined quiet; Continent $7 05; South America $7 40; compound $5 00@5 37½. Pork quiet, steady; old mess $13 75@14 50. Butter in moderate demand and firm; State dairy 11@17c; do. creamery 18c; Western dairy 9@18c; Elgins 18c. Cotton seed oil quiet, barely steady; crude 33½c; yellow prime 27c asked. Petroleum nominal; refined New York $7 65;

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AFTER THE SONG.

The liquid music of her voice
Hath so bewitched the strings
They seem to play from very choice
The melody she sings.

And as the pressure of my bow
Awakes the tuneless wood,
So doth she set my heart aglow
With her sweet womanhood!
—Harry Romaine in Munsey's Magazine.

A FOOL I' THE FOREST

Miranda ran lightly through the green corn down upon the little wood below.

Here a shallow brook fretted over tiny falls and curled in eddies round large, smooth pebbles. The morning sun struck aslant through the willows, and patches of blue sky beamed up from the depths of the shallow water. Miranda stepped upon the frail bridge and leaned over the handrail. The mirror below her was full of waving shadows and gray light. The stream trickled coolly in that secluded dell, and Miranda's face was flushed and hot with her haste. The breeze went softly through the tresses of her hair. Miranda glanced along the shelving banks to where a grassy knoll jutted forth upon a corner of the brook. She left the bridge, and walking to the spot looked down upon the water. The dell was silent.

Her eyes flew swiftly this way and that in furtive diffidence, and then, fast as a flash, she slipped her shoes from under her feet and flung her hosen down, and dropping upon the knoll dabbled her white feet in the current. The water washed about her ankles gently, and she watched the curves in her high arches dissolve and change and waver in the eddies. How translucent was the stream! How still and sweet the air! She bent forward and regarded her face in the deep pool. Suddenly, and with a little gasp of terror, she found the earth slipping from her. She threw herself back and clutched wildly at the grass. She felt the water creeping above her ankles. A cry escaped her, and on the next instant two hands were clasped beneath her arms, and she was swiftly drawn into safety and laid high upon the grass upon her back. Miranda sat up, and looking round met the bashful eyes of a youth. At once his gaze dropped, and he fumbled his hands together, shifting from foot to foot.

"I beg your pardon," said he; "but you"—

"Oh, you are very kind," said Miranda earnestly. "I thank you, sir. Another moment and I had been lost."

"It is but shallow," he mumbled, smiling, and bit his nail.

Miranda laughed awkwardly. "Oh, but thank you, sir!" she said. "You are very good."

"'Twas but my duty," he stammered and looked away, frowning, at the trees. "Any one would have done more for you," he added, blushing.

Miranda's gaze went down her gown, and hastily she plucked her bare feet under her skirt. There fell a long silence, during which he fidgeted with the stalks of the bracken, and Miranda beat her fingers impatiently upon her knee.

"Heavens! Will the man never speak or go?" thought Miranda. "The sun shines bright, and the birds sing sweet," says she. "We shall soon be in full spring."

"Very bright," said he, starting. "Very sweet," he added, "and 'twill rain by nightfall," he ventured, cocking his eye at the sky.

"Ah!" said Miranda, fanning herself with her hat.

Again a pause ensued. The young man shuffled on his feet. He whistled gently. Miranda yawned and drummed her fingers faster on her knee. She gave a little cough.

"I fear," he stuttered, "you will grow cold upon the moist slope. The sun has little power upon the dews within this shade. If I might beg"—

Approaching, he held out a vague hand. Miranda shut her mouth with a snap.

"I thank you," she said, with scorn, "but the dew delights me. I am never content save upon damp grass."

"I—I crave your pardon," he besought her."

"I—I—fancied"—

"I hate a fool," quoth Miranda to herself in anger.

His eyes wandered to the stream.

"Why, there are your shoes," says he, brightening, "and your hosen. Pray"—

He made a hasty movement forward.

"I beg you will be at no trouble for me," cried Miranda, flaming. "Suffer me at least, I pray you, the liberty to dispose of my own apparel. I am no child at nurse."

He drew back, red and frightened, and Miranda, breathless, curled her feet closer beneath her gown. He watched her face askance. She bit her lips.

"He is only a fool, but I hate a fool," said she.

Miranda sighed. He glanced at her anxiously.

"And you think it will rain?" she asked.

"I'll swear it will," he cried eagerly and waited, open mouthed, upon her condescension.

"I wonder," said Miranda thoughtfully.

"But the sky is red," he panted.

"I have my doubts," said Miranda sagely, shaking her head. "The wood obscures the heaven. How is it possible to tell?"

"Indeed"— he began.

"Nay," she interrupted, "but from the cornfield yonder you could descry with certainty, and I should be reassured."

"I can see the cornfield through the trees," he answered, "and the sun shines red above the hedges."

Miranda shrugged her shoulders petulantly.

"What sound was that?" she said. "Surely some animal. I hate a cow," she exclaimed. "Oh, sir, pray run and see!"

"'Tis no cow," he replied stolidly. "I know the fields by heart, and there is never a cow within two miles."

"There is many a fool," said Miranda bitterly.

"Aye, to be sure," he assented gravely, "and many a sinner, moreover," he added thoughtfully.

"I think I prefer a sinner," said Miranda vehemently.

"The sinner for me, too," he agreed cheerfully.

Miranda put out her tongue at the grass. Idly he broke the bark of a silver birch. Miranda uttered an exclamation of anger. He turned.

"I beg your pardon," said he. "I did not catch your words, but I do assure you that if there is aught I can do will"—

Miranda's temper burst its bonds. "Nothing in the world," she said in sarcasm. "Nothing in life for me save only that you will leave me to enjoy my solitude."

He started, stammered half a sentence, took off his hat, mopped his face, and tumbling over a creeper set off. Miranda's heart pricked her pride. He looked forlorn, and he had done his best in honest stupidity.

"Stay!" she called impetuously. He tarried in wonder. "I meant no unkindness, sir." He came stumbling back. "I have an intermittent trick of petulence."

The light beamed into a broad grin upon his face.

Miranda shivered. He sat down squat upon the bracken. Miranda groaned.

"I wondered at your cruel words," he began slowly. "Somehow they fitted ill your face, which is"—he blushed—"the sweetest I have seen."

"Oh, you are rash," said Miranda scornfully. "I dare swear that one with so much knowledge as yourself has weltered among scores of pretty faces."

"Indeed"— he cried, but she broke in upon his protest.

"For myself, I lay no claim to beauty. Let others flaunt their titles as they will. I am well enough no doubt. I have the face of youth, and my eyes have no squint in them. But I am assured you have seen many pretty maidens."

"That is so," he cried eagerly, "and this the prettiest."

Miranda smiled. "You do your friends a harsh injustice," she answered. "I have my years to my credit and no more, which is a virtue through which each must pass. And what indeed is beauty, if all be told?"

"Beauty—it is a pearl," he gasped and suddenly swallowed his emotion with a gulp.

"I set no value upon pearls," said Miranda sedately. "Let others if they will. While the world swings on folly will ring her bells, fools jape and gossips chatter."

He watched her ardently, and sidling a step nearer resumed his argument.

"You cannot tell," he said, "with how full a heart a man regards beauty. The tears start in his eyes at the sight, his breath catches, and his legs fail to trembling."

"Ah, is it so?" asked Miranda indifferently.

"It is with me," he said earnestly. His gaze embarrassed her. She turned her head away. "I have long wondered about this love," he stammered, "and now I know."

Miranda looked round at him quickly.

"What is it like?" she asked, with some interest.

Abashed, he thrust his fingers through his hair. "I—I beg your pardon," he stuttered, "but I have scarce the wherewithal to clothe my feelings. It makes me—'tis like a—oh, I feel—indeed, and I would do anything in your behalf," he concluded bravely.

Miranda stared at him a second and then smiled softly. He sprawled so ungainly. He lay a huge hulk of ineptitudes. His large blue eyes were watered with affection. "You are very good," she murmured.

"'Tis no goodness," he averred stoutly, "but out of the very bottom of indulgent selfishness. I would sacrifice worlds for you."

Miranda glanced at him slyly.

"Would you drown?" she asked.

He nodded.

"Would you surrender me forever?"

He hesitated.

"Would you sell your soul for me?"

He knit his brows into a frown of puzzlement.

"Why," cried she, "you would never surely steal to see me smiling?"

He shook his head thoughtfully. "No," he replied. "'Twould be a wrong you would not ask of me."

"And if I did?" she insisted.

He searched her face and then, "I would hire some one else for the job," he declared, with a sigh.

Miranda lay back on the turf and shook with laughter. Suddenly she sat up. In a flash the laughter ceased, and, red and white in turn, she tucked her bare feet beneath her gown again.

"I trust," said he anxiously, "that you have not hurt yourself."

"Oh, no!" she replied coldly. "Pray continue. Your philosophy was most entertaining. You make a scruple of theft. I understand. But you could love me to distraction. Oh, yes! You will pull down the world for me, and you do it not by your own hands. You will meet lions, and you can find another to replace you. You will swear and forswear and break through the Decalogue if you can do all these things by substitute. Yours is a wonderful sense of passion—so new, so strange, so masterful."

The young man nodded his head sagely. "'Tis marvelous what change love will bring to a man, but," he added doubtfully, "I would not break through the Decalogue. I dare not have another's blood upon me. Oh, there are many things one dare not do nor would you ask them! Why do I talk so wildly? I am content to love you if you will suffer me."

He leaned forward and took her hand awkwardly, looking the while into her face with bashful affection. She snatched her hand away and laughed impatiently.

"Oh, you are too good, fair sir!" she cried. "I am not worthy of your devout devotion. I—I have sins enough upon my head, God wot, but none so great as this unequal partnership would be. You are too virtuous for such as I. You are too composed of discreet renunciations. Renounce once more and save your soul alive. Mine is the waywardness of the wildcat. I have the passions of the desperado. I break through a commandment daily. I am right to my hair in sins. Should I repent I should need an acre of sackcloth and gallons of ashes. But I do not. Thank the Lord, I shall not. I am stark in my vices. I plan them with rebellious joys. I complete them with exultation. I am a fiend in a fair wig, a ghoul in a white gown. To love me is to love perdition."

He stared at her dumbly and withdrew a pace.

"Indeed," said she, "you have every reason for your fears. I fear myself. O' nights I lie awake and think of devilments. They float through my dreams. I pinch myself in wonder if I be really human. There is no audacity I could not dare, no shame to cause me blink."

He shuffled a little farther away.

"Come, come," she cried; "begone ere I break out upon you! I have the very deuce of a temper. For you and yours I see the happy valleys open. For me is the rude path among the mountains. Get you gone, then, sir, to your happiness and the sweet maid that awaits you. Mine is the bitter, narrow road to hell!"

She rose to her feet and pointed at him mockingly with her finger. The young man turned, and casting back one glance across his shoulder scampered heavily through the undergrowth without a word and disappeared into the wood.

Miranda stopped, breathless. "I believe he took me for the devil," she said and laughed. "But, oh, the prickles!" she cried, drawing in her breath and grimacing. She flung herself down and rubbed her pretty feet.

Miranda reached for her hose. "'Twas difficult," she murmured. "'Twas very difficult, but at last—at last!"—H. B. Marriott-Watson in Sketch.

Boiling Potatoes.

If potatoes be covered with boiling water and placed on the fire, they will cook in 30 minutes. If they be very small, they may get done in 28 minutes, and if they be large it may take 32 to cook them sufficiently. They should be kept boiling all the time after they once begin, but not at a furious rate, as a too rapid boiling breaks the surface of the potato before the center is cooked. The time of cooking is to be counted from the moment the boiling water is poured over the potatoes. When the potatoes are done, the water should be poured off and the steam then allowed to escape. Should it be necessary to keep them warm after that cover them with a coarse towel, never with the pot cover, for if the steam does not have a chance to escape it will be absorbed by the potatoes, which will become sodden, dark and strong flavored.—Cooking.

A Little Exaggerated.

The witty George Canning, illustrating the Hibernian tendency, when excited, to hurry beyond the limits of good sense, tells this anecdote:

An Irish divine, preaching against the vice of swearing, and denouncing its prevalence in a certain town, said in the height of declamation:

"Even the little children that can neither speak nor walk run about the streets blaspheming."—Youth's Companion.

"Old Folks at Home."

"Old Folks at Home," equally well known as "The Swanee River," was the most popular song ever known in America. Over 400,000 copies were sold during the first five years after its appearance. E. P. Christy of the original Christy's minstrels paid $400 for the privilege of having his name printed on the title page of one edition as the author and composer.

Street Democracy.

They were two ragged children standing on the curbstone watching the carriages as they drove up and stopped to let out their occupants.

The street waifs were dirty and ragged and no doubt hungry, for the basket they carried between them was empty, and the face of the younger of the two was tear stained.

"They must be awful rich," he said to the girl at his side.

"Jimmy," she answered, "d'ye know wot I'd do if I was rich as—as mud, like them? I'd jes' set up straight in me carriage, an if the folks didn't get out o' the way I'd run over 'em, so I wud."

"I wouldn't," said Jimmy slowly and solemnly. "If I wuz rich, I wouldn't want no carridge, nor hosses, nor nothin. I'd go jes' as fast as ever I cud to heven an bring me mudder back agen."

He finished with a sob, and the girl looked at him with an air of superior disdain.

"You're a silly," she said, but her voice was soft, and she took his hand in hers as they moved away.—Detroit Free Press.

EN RAPPORT.

Clasped in thy arms, with my head on thy breast,
All is forgotten of sorrow and woe.
Nothing I feel but peace, infinite rest.
Hold me, beloved, thus, tenderly—so.

Aglow with the love that forever is thine,
I lift my cheek to thy willing caress.
Few hearts may drink of the joy that is mine,
Few tongues such rapture can truly confess.

Clasped in thy arms, with my head on thy breast,
I feel thy heartbeats have quickened for me;
With gladdest joy now my soul is possessed.
Life would be empty without love and thee.

Some say, beloved, that life is a dream;
That at death's coming we will but awake,
But if the waking a parting doth seem,
Let me dream ever for sweetest love's sake.
—Jane Mauldin in New Orleans Picayune.

MARRIED IN HASTE.

Few Formalities at a Wedding In a Chicago Police Court.

Quite an amusing episode occurred in Justice Lyon's court recently in the midst of a trial for assault and battery, when a young couple rushed breathlessly into the room and informed his honor that they wanted to be joined in the holy bonds of wedlock as quickly as possible.

In one hand the prospective groom carried a marriage license, which contained the names of August Rohner and Marie Soss. The assault and battery trial came to a halt, and Justice Lyon glanced over the certificate by which two beings were permitted to call themselves one.

"Hurry oop, chudge," said the about to be bride nervously as she shifted from one foot to another and glanced apprehensively at the door.

"But why are you in such haste?" asked "Justice Davy."

"It must be now or never," answered the bride, "and we want now."

"All right," said the court; "I guess I can accommodate you," and he repaired to a mirror in the rear of the courtroom, carefully arranged his $18 tie, thought of the immortal Davy, Jr., on the South Side, parted his hair in the middle, took an extra reef in his immaculate Prince Albert and called the couple to the front.

If there is one thing Justice Lyon is perfect in, it is in the art of tying nuptial knots, and he was at his best.

"Have you a ring?" he asked.

"Nein," answered the lesser half.

"One will do," said the court.

"Nein, nein, or none," broke in the bride.

"Oh, all right!" answered the court, while his face took on a deep scarlet hue, and he proceeded with the ceremony. The couple alternately looked at him and at the door, and after it was all over, and they stood together with arms twisted together, a fearful racket sounded on the stairs, and a little old man, with a glare in his eye, burst breathlessly into the room. The new Mr. and Mrs. laughed at him, and swearing volubly in German the little old man gave the door a cruel kick, passed out again, the bridal couple following. Justice Davy poked a beautiful bill in his purse, and the assault case went on.—Chicago Dispatch.

What Esau Hunted.

"About noon we saw a beast standing on a mountain top looking down at us. When we saw it, we thought that it was a camel, but Calinus said that the beast was a rhinoceros or unicorn. It hath a horn set in the midst of its forehead 4 feet long, and whatsoever it butts at it runs him through and pounds him against the rocks. It is said by writers on natural history that they place a young virgin in his way, whereat he puts away from him all his fierceness and lays down his head and is held thus entranced until he be taken and slain."

Thus wrote that delightfully naive observer, Father Felix Fabri, who visited Sinai 400 years ago. Modern pilgrims who have followed in his footsteps with their eyes open will at once recognize that the animal he saw was the bedan, or Sinaitic ibex, which gazes down on passing caravans from the cliffs which tower above their route. He is seldom visible to them unless his shapely figure happens to be silhouetted on the sky line. This wild goat inhabits the mountains on either side of the Red sea and the steep gullies of Moab and is the only representative of the deer or goat tribes in these regions. Esau doubtless hunted it, and those few sportsmen who have followed his example will not be surprised that the uncertainties of the chase cost him his birthright.—Nineteenth Century.

Curious Facts.

The medical statistics of this country have been studied by Dr. John T. Billings from the racial standpoint. He deduces many curious facts: The infantile death rate among the blacks is very high; the race itself is shorter lived than the white; it is less liable than the white to malaria, yellow fever and cancer, but succumbs more readily to tuberculosis and pneumonia. Irish children survive infantile diseases, but the adult death rate is high; tuberculosis, pneumonia and alcoholism cut them down. Germans are especially liable to digestive disorders and cancer. Jews have a low death rate; they live long; their diseases are diabetes, locomotor ataxia and kindred nervous ailments.—Zion's Herald, Boston.

Chicagoese.

I frequently resent the rich roasts given Chicago society by the terrible Town Topics, but now and then I am forced to admit that some of its wild and weird whoppers are not altogether unprovoked. At the recent Fellowship Club ladies' layout I overheard one of the officers importune a brilliant boulevard beau not to be in a hurry to leave, as Mrs. Alice J. Shaw was about to appear and whistle. "Is that so?" ejaculated the swagger swell. "Then I'll stay a bit longer. I knowed her over in London."—Chicago Weekly.

A Careful Bridegroom.

Bridegroom (about to marry the youngest of three sisters)—My dear friend, I want you to stand right behind me during the ceremony and keep your eyes open. I am very nearsighted, and I am afraid they might substitute the oldest sister at the critical moment.—Fliegende Blatter.

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Homely Voltaire.

Voltaire was the ugliest man of his age. Emaciated to a skeleton, all the features of his countenance were exaggerated. His nose and chin nearly met from the lack of teeth; his cheeks were sunken and wrinkled; his eyes set so far back in his head and so obscured by shaggy, overhanging brows as to be almost invisible. He usually wore a large wig, from the midst of which his attenuated features peeped out with comical effect. For years before he died his weight did not exceed 90 pounds.

Choice of a Vocation.

Aunt Rosa—Well, Juanito, what would you like to be when you are grown up?

Juanito (whose parents are very strict)—I'd like to be an orphan.—Dia.

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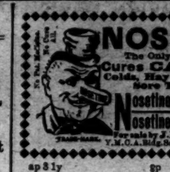

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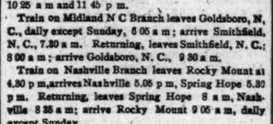

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DEPARTURE FROM WILMINGTON—NORTHBOUND

DAILY No. 48—Passenger—Due Magnolia 10.56 a m, Wilson 11.10 a m, Goldsboro 12.05 p m, Rocky Mount 1.03 p m, Tarboro 2.48 p m, Weldon 3.53 p m, Petersburg 5.43 p m, Richmond 6.45 p m, Norfolk 6.05 p m, Washington 11.10 p m, Baltimore 12.48 a m, Philadelphia 3.45 a m, New York 6.53 a m, Boston 8.00 p m.

DAILY 7.00 P M — No. 40—Passenger—Due Magnolia 8.31 p m, Warsaw 8.45 p m, Goldsboro 9.40 p m, Wilson 10.27 p m, †Tarboro 6.58 a m, Rocky Mount 12.07 p m, Weldon 12.55 a m, †Norfolk 10.25 a m, Petersburg 3.37 a m, Richmond 5.40 a m, Washington 7.00 a m, Baltimore 8.20 a m, Philadelphia 10.46 a m, New York 1.23 p m, Boston 5.30 p m.

SOUTHBOUND:

DAILY 3.30 P M — No. 15—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 4.45 p m, Chadbourn 5.17 p m, Marion 6.24 p m, Florence 7.05 p m, Atkinson 8.11 p m, Sumter 8.38 p m, Columbia 10.00 p m, Denmark 5.11 a m, Augusta 8.00 a m, Macon 11.00 a m, Atlanta 12.15 p m, Charleston 10.55 p m, Savannah 1.19 a m, Jacksonville 7.00 a m. St. Augustine 12.00 noon, Tampa 5.30 p m.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 5.45 P M — No. 47—Passenger—Leave Boston 1.00 p m, New York 9.00 p m, Philadelphia 12.08 a m, Baltimore 2.50 a m, Washington 4.30 a m, Richmond 9.05 a m, Petersburg 10.00 a m, Norfolk 8.40 a m, Weldon 11.53 a m, Tarboro 12.30 p m, Rocky Mount 1.05 p m, Wilson 2.13 p m, Goldsboro 3.10 p m, Warsaw 4.02 p m, Magnolia 4.16 a m.

DAILY 10.00 a m — No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston

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TUESDAY MORNING, JUNE 11, 1895

THE COTTON CROP

REPORT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

Showing the Decrease of Acreage as Compared With Last Year and the Average Condition June 1st, 1895.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

WASHINGTON, June 10.—The result of the special investigation made by the Department of Agriculture in 720 cotton growing counties, shows that in 88 counties there will be little or no change in acreage as compared with last year; five report an increase of 10 per cent. and less; two an increase of from 11 to 20 per cent; three an increase of from 21 to 30 per cent., and three an increase of over 30 per cent. and less; 250 a decrease of from 11 to 20 per cent.; 158 a decrease of from 21 to 30 per cent.; 44 a decrease of from 31 to 40 per cent.; seven a decrease of from 41 to 50 per cent. and 33 a decrease of over 50 per cent.

The consolidated returns of reports to the statistical division for the month of June show the State percentages of acreage, as compared with last year, as follows: North Carolina 81, South Carolina 84, Georgia 85, Florida 95, Alabama 89, Mississippi 88, Louisiana 87, Texas 85, Arkansas 80, Tennessee 81, Missouri 75, Indian Territory 91, Oklahoma 90, Virginia 73. The average for the United States is 85 2, a reduction of 14.8 per cent. upon the revised acreage given out in May.

The average condition of the crop for June 1st is as follows: North Carolina 61, South Carolina 72, Georgia 89, Florida 93. Alabama 85, Mississippi 88, Louisiana 85, Texas 79, Arkansas 89, Tennessee 87, Missouri 89, Indian Territory and Oklahoma 70, Virginia 67. The general average for the country is 81, against 88.3 last year and 85 6 in 1893.

SENT TO JAIL.

Ex-President Debs and the Directors of the American Railway Union.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, June 10.—The certified copy of the order of the Supreme Court in the Debs case was received by the Clerk of the U. S. District Court this morning, and the marshal was notified to return President Debs and the directors of the American Railway Union to jail. A telegram has been sent to Terre Haute requesting Debs to return. L. W. Rogars has notified the marshal that he will have all the men present at the marshal's office at 2 o'clock to-morrow, when they will leave for the Woodstock, Ill., jail. G. W. Howard, the former vice-president of the Union, desires to be sent to a country jail in Indiana, and his wish will probably be granted.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

July Wheat Inactive and Lower—Corn Dull and Lower—Oats Firm—Pork Products Closed Lower.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, June 10.—Speculative action in wheat was comparatively light to-day, for which the Government report was wholly responsible. There was a notable absence of "tips" and pointers on it, and the crowd was entirely dependent on conjecture for motive. The opening was from ⅞c to 1⅛c lower than Saturday. During the session a further decline of 1⅜c took place, but a rally of ⅛c from the inside was noted at the July wheat opened from 90⅞c to 80¼c; sold between 81⅛c and 79¼c, closing at 80c—1⅛c lower than Saturday. Cash wheat was steady to firm, closing weak with futures.

Corn—It was rather dull in corn to-day, the inactivity of wheat having a quieting influence, and prices sympathizing with that grain's decline. There is very little fear entertained as to the ultimate yield of the growing crop of corn. This is the main factor in the market when it displays any independence of action. July corn opened at from 53c to 52⅛c, sold between 52⅛c and 52c, closing at 52⅛@52⅛c—⅝@⅝c lower than Saturday. Cash corn was ⅛c lower, and closed weak.

Oats were as firm as circumstances would allow. The Government was expected to report adversely on the crop and this anticipation, with the continued good Eastern shipping movement, contributed a good amount of strength which resisted the weakening of corn and wheat. Late in session when prices eased away fractionately July oats closed ⅛ to ¼c. lower than Saturday. Cash oats were steady early but closed essy with futures.

Provisions were probably affected by the general lassitude. They were never active during the day's session, and although the sentiment was in favor of strength early, the later tone was weak, and especially for pork. There was some sympathy with grain the latter part of the day. At the close July pork was 2½c lower, July lard a shade higher and July ribs 2½c higher.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, June 10.—Spirits turpentine quiet and steady at 29@29¼. Rosin dull and easy; strained common to good $1 52½@1 57½.

CHARLESTON, June 10—Spirits turpentine firm at 36½c; receipts 88 casks. Rosin firm; good strained $1 10@1 15; receipts 125 barrels.

SAVANNAH, June 10.—Spirits turpentine opened firm at 27c and closed at 27½c, with sales of 1,500 casks; receipts to-day 1,954 casks. Rosin firm and unchanged with good demand for offerings; sales were reported of 1,000 bbls: A, B, C $1 10, D $1 90, E $1 35, F $1 40, G $1 50, H $1 75, I $1 85, K $2 25, M $2 45, N $2 55, window glass $2 60, water white $2 90.

A mass meeting at Dallas, Texas, protested against the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight. It was a very tame affair. The tenor of the speeches was to the effect that a horde of thieves and dissolute characters would be attracted to the city and that the moral of such an exhibition would be vicious on men and boys.

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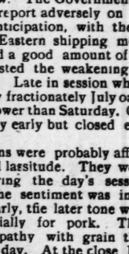

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WASHINGTON NEWS.

Officials In a Quandary as to the Advisability of Sending a Warship to Prevent Filibustering Expeditions on Cuba—President Cleveland—Treasury Receipts and Expenditures—Naval Orders—Favorable Report from the Government Commission on the Nicaragua Canal Project.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—Officials of the State and Navy Department are considering the advisability of sending a warship to guard the Florida coast, to prevent the filibustering expeditions from leaving the United States for Cuba, but an embarrassing question has arisen to prevent immediate action. By ordering a vessel to guard that point of the coast line, it is feared that this Government may place itself in the position of being held responsible by Spain for neglect in not having done so before. Such action it is contended, would be a virtual acknowledgement that the United States have failed to do their duty toward the Spanish Government, with which they are in friendly relations. It is also feared that even if Spain did waive the right to claim damages for previous neglect by this country, embarrassment would likely arise if any filibustering expeditions succeeded in evading the patrol.

As the matter stands, the officials of the State and Navy Departments think it is best to go slowly, trusting the meantime to increase vigilance on the part of the revenue cutter service of the Treasury Department.

Late this afternoon Secretary Herbert settled all doubt as to the course to be taken by this Government, by issuing orders to the Raleigh to proceed at once to Key West, Florida. She will be retained there to watch for filibusters and see that no more expeditions leave this country for Cuba with contraband or men for the insurgents.

A favorable report from the Government commission which went to Nicaragua a month ago to examine the route of the proposed maritime canal is confidently expected on its return to the United States next month. Private letters received from members state that the commission has already traversed the route from Greytown to Brito, and that they are convinced from a cursory examination that the plan of the canal is a feasible one. The commission is now preparing to make a second and more careful survey of the route. The Congressional friends of the canal are awaiting with much interest the report of the commission. If it shall be favorable, as now seems probable, it will greatly aid the passage of a bill looking to the building of the canal by the United States Government. An unfavorable report, on the other hand, would render practically impossible the passage of such a measure.

Admiral Kirkland announced by cable the arrival of the cruisers San Francisco and Columbia at Copenhagen this morning. The cruiser Concord left Nagasaki, Japan, to-day for Cemulpo, Corea, to relieve the Detroit, which has been guarding American interests there for several months.

Secretary Carlisle will leave here the latter part of this week for Kentucky and will deliver an address on the financial question at Louisville on Friday or Saturday of this week. This will be his final speech in the present Kentucky campaign, he having been compelled to decline invitations to speak at Lexington and Henderson.

President Cleveland may leave Washington to-morrow after the Cabinet to join his family at Gray Gables. Every arrangement has been made for his departure when he sees fit to take it. Several important matters, however, including appointments to offices in the District of Columbia demand his attention, and he may delay leaving until he has disposed of these.

The Treasury receipts are partaking of the general business revival and while they still do not quite reach to the point of equalizing the expenditures, are getting nearer striking an even balance every day. For ten days of June the receipts have aggregated $8,895,000 or $1,000,000 a day. Sundays excluded the expenditures have been $10,004,000 or only $1,569,000 in excess of receipts. The deficit will be wiped out before many days and the end of June is likely to show for the month an excess of $3,000,000 or $3,000,000 receipts over expenditures, a condition not reached in any one month for several years by the Treasury. The deficit for the year, which now stands at $48,326,000, will be reduced to $45,000,000 or below by June 30th. This turn in affairs in the Treasury's condition is accounted for by the fact that business is adjusting itself to tariff conditions and that large revenue is now being received from articles that heretofore yielded little, as they were in stock. This is notably the case as regards sugar, which had been imported free under the former tariff law. The free stock is now exhausted and imports have been resumed. The large quantity of whiskey taken out of bond to escape the increased tax of 20 cents a gallon is now nearly or completely consumed and new whiskey is being taken out of bond to supply the consumptive demand. The increase in internal revenue receipts shows this plainly.

With all the principal lines of business adjusting themselves to the present tariff conditions and with an increased volume of business apparently, still the revenues of the Government are not quite sufficient to meet fixed expenditures. The increased revenue of $40,000,000 or $50,000,000 provided by the Senate over the House tariff act, principally on the items of sugar, iron ore and coal, makes the deficit just so much less, but leaves the Treasury still short by about $38,000,000 or $24,000,000 a year of equalizing expenditures. This will have to be provided for next Congress.

Secretary Herbert has ordered the battle-ship Iowa fitted as a flag-ship. This vessel, which is on the stocks at Cramp's, in Philadelphia, will not be ready for sea in less than two years, when she will carry the flag of the Admiral commanding the North Atlantic squadron.

BASE BALL.

The Record of Games Played Yesterday

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

Brooklyn—Brooklyn 4; Pittsburg 0.
New York—New York 5; Chicago 4.
Boston—Boston 9; Louisville 5.
Philadelphia—Philadelphia 7; Cleveland 0.
Baltimore—Baltimore 13; Cincinnati 4.
Washington—Washington 2; St. Louis 1.
Memphis 17; Chattanooga 9.
Roanoke—Roanoke 6; Richmond 15.
Portsmouth—Portsmouth 5; Lynchburg 3.
Petersburg—Petersburg 14; Norfolk 5.
Little Rock—Little Rock 12; Atlanta 13.
New Orleans—New Orleans 8 Evansville 1.
Montgomery—Montgomery 19; Nashville 6.

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LATE FOREIGN NEWS.

SEVERE EARTHQUAKE SHOCKS IN TRIESTE.

Many Lives Lost in a Mine Explosion—The Cloudburst in Austria—Great Destruction of Property—Many Lives Lost.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

TRIESTE, June 10.—Two shocks of earthquake were felt here at an early hour this morning, causing great consternation among the inhabitants of the city. Thousands of people rushed from their houses and many have refused to return and are camping in the open squares, fearing a recurrence of the shocks. Little or no damage was done.

BERLIN, June 10.—An explosion of fire-damp occurred in a mining pit near Antonienhutte, Prussian-Silesia, to-day, while 800 men were at work in the mine. Only forty have been rescued, leaving 460 entombed.

VIENNA, June 10.—Advices received from Weiner Neustadt state that the recent cloud-burst in that section washed away a great number of bridges and houses in the communes of Schwarz Enbach, Schlatten and Hochwoltersdorf, in some instances carrying away buildings the entire length of streets, and submerging large tracts of territory. Twelve persons were drowned in the town of Schwarz Enbach alone, and it is believed that the total loss of life is very great. The damage done in these places, which pecuniarily is over 800,000 florins, cannot be repaired for years.

LONDON, June 10.—The *Chronicle* will publish to-morrow a dispatch from Moscow stating that the twentieth division of the Caucasian army, the present headquarters of which is at Kutaie, has been ordered to Kars and other frontier stations. Contractors at Kars and Tienlis have received large orders for stores. This movement was unexpected and has caused much surprise. It is conjectured that it has some connection with the Armenian question.

LONDON, June 10.—Lorenzo Covington, the man who was arrested and arraigned in the Bow Street Police Court, on Saturday, on the charge of having threatened to murder Cardinal Vaughan, by throwing vitrol upon him, failing to receive 250 pounds which he alleges he had lost through certain action of the Catholic church, was again arraigned this morning. The police have ascertained that the man is an American, but further information concerning him is not forthcoming. He was remanded for medical examination, with a view of determining whether he is a crank or a blackmailer.

CUBAN FILIBUSTERS.

Another Expedition Sent Out From Satilla River, Florida.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

JACKSONVILLE, June 10.—A special to the *Times-Union* from Fernandina, Fla. says: The yacht Minim returned to Fernandina today with N. B. Borden and others of the party who left here last Friday night. Reddened by the sun, they resemble weather-beaten seamen. The Minim's trip has excited much comment here and elicited many opinions concerning its destination and object. The following is believed by several prominent citizens of Fernandina who have closely watched the drift of recent events, to be the correct one:

It has been observed that nowhere in any dispatches is the presence of those prominent Cubans, the Collazo brothers, noted. They have not been seen since Thursday evening, when they were reported to have taken a train from here for Jacksonville. They got out of town very mysteriously. One or two people say they saw them get on the train, but smile when they say it. If they got on the train, it is believed they stepped off just above the station where they knew the freight cars would hide them and went to the building where it is believed the supplies for the Lagongda were stored. They remained here until the Minim sailed, and although the Minim professed to take only certain persons who were seen, it carried the Collazo brothers, but did not bring them back. The Minim went to the Satilla river, for it was seen there at Cabin Bluff yesterday morning. Sometime ago, it is alleged, a filibustering expedition was sent out of the Satilla river, and another has probably gone. The Spanish man-of-war that was patrolling this coast went south too soon. If it had stayed longer off the mouth of the Cumberland sound, it might have intercepted the Satilla filibusters. The chances of the capture of such an expedition are slender, and the Cubans can be said to have secured another victroy over the suspicious and watchful Spaniards.

SPOTS AND FUTURES

New York Sun's Review of the Cotton Market.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star,

NEW YORK, June 10.—The *Sun* says: Cotton rose two to three points, lost this and declined three points, recovered this and advanced one to three, closing steady, with sales of 188,500 bales. Liverpool advanced 1-32d on the spot and three points for future delivery, closing quiet, with spot sales of 8,000 bales. Manchester was slow. New Orleans advanced six points. Wilmington advanced ¼ cents. The Southern spot markets were generally quiet, steady and firm at unchanged prices. Port receipts 9,500, against 9,877 last year. Spot cotton unchanged; 867 sold for spinning, 593 for export and 100 delivered on contract. Bombay receipts for the half-week 33,000 against 21,000 last year.

To-day's features: The rise in Liverpool and a bullish Bureau report, together with heavy rains at the South, where they are likely to do injury, caused a small advance on moderate trading. The speculation shows less activity, to be sure, but the friends of cotton still believe that the price must ultimately reach a very much higher level. Not for years past has the Bureau issued in June so unfavorable a report as it issued to-day. The decrease in the acreage is stated at 14.8 per cent., and this in connection with the bullish report issued by the *Chronicle* on the 6th instant, is regarded as conclusive evidence that the area devoted to cotton has really been reduced to a very important extent. There is no dout that the corn acreage of the South is much larger than ever before, and the increasing culture of rice is another evidence of the disposition to diversify the crops, which naturally has a tendency to cut down the acreage devoted to cotton. The South shows less and less disposition to carry all its eggs in one basket; it will rely on something besides cotton. New Orleans bulls claim that the next crop is not likely to exceed 7,500,000 bales, a decrease of something over 3,000,000 bales.

YOUNG GIRL DROWNED.

Accident to a Sailing Party at Charleston, South Carolina.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHARLESTON, June 10.—During a squall which came up suddenly to-night shortly after 8 o'clock, a batteau-yacht, with a sailing party of seven persons, four men and three ladies, was overturned in the Cooper river, off the South Carolina wharf, and Miss Rosalie Greenhill, a young girl 16 years of age, was drowned. The rest of the party succeeded in clinging to the boat until assistance reached them from the schooner Nelson E. Newberry. The body of the drowned girl has not yet been recovered.

The weather in St. Louis is excessively hot and there is no indication of relief.

THE MEMPHIS CONVENTION.

Marion Butler Will Head the North Carolina Delegation.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

MEMPHIS, June 10.—The predictions of the promoters of the silver convention are on the eve of fulfillment. The Memphis hotels are fast being occupied by the delegates and distinguished men of letters and statesmen from all sections of the country, and it seems now that by to-morrow morning there will be scarcely an unoccupied room in any hostlery of the city.

The Extension and Executive Committees of the Central Bimetallic League held an important meeting this afternoon, all sub-committees reported having practically completed their labors and the only one that had not discharged its duties in full was the Reception Committee.

A communication was received from Florida, stating that Gov. Mitchell had appointed as delegates from the State at large United States Senator Sam'l Pasco, S. R. Mallory, ex-member of Congress; John L. Gaskins, Speaker of the Florida House; Bascom H. Palmer, State Senator; Wm. R. Thomas, State Treasurer; Clarence B. Collier, Capt. J. F. Tucker, Frank E. Harriss, W. J. Cooper and Harry W. Cooper, Postmaster at Jacksonville.

Gov. Culberson, of Texas, has appointed delegates at large from the Lone Star State, with ex-Senator John H. Reagan, chairman.

U. S. Senator Marion Butler will head the North Carolina delegation, and in company with the delegates will reach Memphis to-morrow morning. The delegation will be composed of Democrats, Republicans and Populists alike, and is significant from the fact that it will be a manifestation of the coalition between the parties in North Carolina. W. H. Hinrichsen, of Illinois, writes that it will be impossible for him to be present. In concluding his letter, he says: "You have no doubt seen the full report of our convention on the 5th. It was a success in every way, in spite of what the Republican and Democratic gold papers say about it." Illinois is safe in the free silver ranks, and will be in 1896."

The programme to be followed by the Silver Convention, as now tentatively laid down, is that it will be called to order by President W. U. Brown, of the Central Bimetallic League, at 2 o'clock on Wednesday. Casey Young, ex-Congressman from this district, will be temporary chairman, and his partner, Jere Horn, will act as temporary secretary. Judge B. H. Estes, some times a pulpiter, will offer prayer. Then will come permanent organization. Senator Turpie, of Ind., and Jones, of Ark. are the selections for the permanent chairmanship, The place was offered Senator Harris but he declined, saying that as this is his own constitutency, the Convention would have more weight if a stranger were chosen. Turpie is already here and Jones will arrive to-morrow, when Harris will confer with them.

THE PACKWOOD MURDER.

The Supreme Court of Florida Reverses the Finding of the Lower Court.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

JACKSONVILLE, FLA., June 10.—A special to the *Times-Union* from Tallahasse, Fla., says: The decision in the celebrated Packwood murder case, in which Irving Jenkins, Marion Clinton and W. A. McRae were convicted, was reversed in the Supreme Court to-day, Chief Justice Mabry delivering the opinion. The Packwoods were murdered in Volusia county in December, 1891. The case was brought up on writ of error from Lake county Circuit Court. On December 18, 1891, in a lonely spot seven miles below New Smyrna on the Hillsboro river, Adelaide Bruce, her little nephew Frankie Packwood, son of F. I. Packwood, of New York, and Mrs. J. Hatch and little son, neighbors who were spending the night, were murdered. Miss Bruce was shot, her throat cut and face crushed in, and ravished. The throats of the two children were cut. Mrs. Hatch was simply shot. P. J. Packwood, who owned the place, was in De Land, forty miles away at the time. His little son was left in charge of his sister-in-law, Miss Bruce. Packwood was a New Yorker, but had lived in Florida some years. Tht crime has been known as "The Packwood murder," getting its name from the place.

MYSTERIOUS ROBBERY.

Fifty Thousand Dollars in Cash and Securities Stolen from a Safe in Lovell, Me.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BOSTON, June 10.—A special from Lovell, Me., says: One of the most mysterious burglaries in the history of Maine was committed in this village last Thursday night, when the safe in the store of James E. Hutchins was opened and cash, stocks, bonds and securities to the amount of $50,000, were stolen. The securities were in a small tin-box and for several years Mr. Hutchins had kept it in the big safe in the country store, which is run by his grandson, C. J. Hutchins.

[Friday morning young Hutchins opened the store as usual. Not a thing had been disturbed in the establishment and not until the storekeeper opened the safe did he know that burglars had been at work. The tin box, which for a number of years had been in one corner of the safe, was missing and a diligent search failed to reveal its whereabouts. The safe had been opened by the combination lock and after the securities had been removed the safe was relocked The officers have been unnable to get the slightest clew to the guilty parties.

WARM WIRELETS.

A big fire is burning in South Chicago, near the corner of Ninety-second street and Houston avenue. The fire originated in the furniture factory of T. P. Young.

The coal miners of Ohio have by a vote of 6,091 to 4,351 decided to accept the offer of the operators to go to work at 51 cents per ton. The machine mining question, however, is still unsettled.

The sealing catch off the coast of British Columbia is, according to returns just received, far below that of last year. Of thirty-two vessels which cleared from Victoria only one will pay expenses.

A Sanford, Fla., dispatch says: United States Deputy Marshal Smith left here to-day for Ocala, with a warrant for the arrest of E. W. Agnew, president of the First National Bank of Ocala, charging him with swindling depositors.

A dispatch from Bluefield, W. Va., says the situation on the Elk Horn is somewhat exciting to-night. The Crozer and Pulaski works are to be invaded by a large body of strikers at daylight, who threaten to force the working miners to come out.

A dispatch from Buenos Ayres says that a revolt has broken out in the province of Corrientes. The rebels attacked the capital of the province, but were repulsed with a loss of 25 killed and many wounded. The leaders of the attacking force were captured.

At Bloomington, Ill., another spell of fearful hot weather began Saturday. The mercury Sunday reached 103 degrees in the shade. The hay crop is beyond redemption. There is but little hope for oats, though if it rains inside of three days it may save one-third of the crop.

Monroe Whalen, of Birmingham, Ala., writes: "I purchased six of your Japanese Pile Cure from Mr. Amzi Goddon, and it has entirely cured me of a case of Piles of 22 years standing; will advise my friends to use it." J. H. BUNTING, J. H. HARDIN,

FLORIDA LYNCHINGS.

Negro Ravishers Killed by Citizens Near Lake City and in Lafayette County.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

JACKSONVILLE, FLA., June 10.—Yesterday at high noon, Bill Collins, a negro, was lynched on the banks of the Suwanee river, in Lafayette county, for attempting to assault Miss Jeannette Allen. Collins was chased two days before being caught, and it is said at McAlpin, Fla., that two negroes were shot for attempting to aid Collins to escape. The bodies of two negroes were found on the Savannah, Florida & Western Railroad, between Live Oaks and Alpine, yesterday, and the story is that they were killed and placed there by Collins' pursuers. The bodies were cut to pieces by the passenger trains. The pursuers of Collins passed near where the bodies of the negroes were found, and it is said they were friends of Miss Allen's assailant.

LAKE CITY, June 10.—News has been received that a negro was lynched twelve miles south of here last Friday night. The negro's offence was making improper proposals to the wife of a prominent white citizen. The negro met the lady in the road and urged her to desert her husband and elope with him. The lady promised, in order to escape. She then went home and told her husband. He gatnered a crowd of citizens who seized the negro as he was going to the place where the lady had promised to meet him, and lynched him. The lady's name has been suppressed, owing to her prominence.

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